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Tiger Woods celebrates after sinking the putt to win the Arnold Palmer Invitational golf tournament at Bay Hill in Orlando, Fla., Sunday, March 29, 2009. Woods closed with a 3-under 67 for a one-shot victory over Sean O'Hair.

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KLM halts all flight to Aruba March 31st

ORANJESTAD - Koninklijke Luchtvaart Maatschappij (KLM)'s decisions concerning her operations to the West have always been based on commercial motivation backed by privileges from the different governments in the Kingdom. Oftentimes when privileges are lacking, real dedication and commitment can be effective replacement. This year KLM celebrates 75 years of the start of her operations in the West, flying to Suriname, Curaçao and its Dependants (Aruba, Bonaire, Sint Maarten, Saba and Statia). Now after so many years of traversing over the Atlantic Ocean from Amsterdam to the Aruba and vice versa, this route appears less feasible in the economic sense than ever before.

KLM's operations in the Caribbean date back to 1929 when the Government of Holland sent mr. U.F.M. Dellaerts, Manager of Schiphol airport and mr. D. de Vries, General Traffic Manager of KLM to the West to advise the Governments of Curaçao and Suriname on the legal, technical and commercial aspects of commercial aviation. In addition, they were asked to examine the possibilities of establishing a Dutch airline in the Caribbean. However, considering the three other airlines which were operating at the same time, namely SCADTA from Colombia, Compagnie Générale Aérienne from France and PanAm from the United States, this endeavour



was found not to be financially feasible. In 1934 after a long and historic flight, the first KLM aircraft landed in Suriname and Curaçao. This became the starting point for its commercial operations which began in January of the following year.

When setting up the operations, KLM requested and received all support it required from the Government of Curaçao, while the Aruban airline, Caribbean Flying Services, had to stop its operations in that year because of lack of the same. Thus from 1935 onwards, KLM had no direct competition on the routes to and from the ABC-islands as all three previously mentioned foreign airlines ceased their operations here.

After 30 years of operation in Curaçao, KLM established in 1964 the Antilliaanse

Luchtvaart Maatschappij, ALM. This airline's primary mission was to feed passengers in the KLM network from the ABC to Amsterdam and vice versa, while remaining a regional airline.

With the development of civil aviation and commercial air transportation, countries started to formalize their air transport relations in air transport agreements or treaties. As Curaçao and its Dependants were governed by The Hague, KLM was the

only designated airline for the Kingdom in its relations with other countries. In the negotiations leading to the Charter of the Kingdom, where Suriname and the Netherlands Antilles would be offered more autonomy from The Hague, the issue of air transport was heavily debated as The Hague wanted this to be a Kingdom affair. As such, the minister in The Hague would attend all issues related to civil aviation.

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Suriname and the Netherlands Antilles accepted on the basis that this condition would expire in 10 years. Thus, in 1967 the partners of the Kingdom in the West were allowed to determine their own air transport policy, with the understanding that they would weigh the other partners' interests in air transport when dealing with a foreign country.

In the 1981 Protocol related to Air Transportation between the Netherlands and the Netherlands Antilles, it was decided that traffic on the route between the Kingdom partners (grand cabotage) was strictly reserved for the designated carriers of the Kingdom.

In a cooperation agreement between KLM and ALM, it was agreed that ALM would not operate those routes. For this ALM could place part of its personnel, consisting of many Arubans, on these KLM Mid-Atlantic flights as well as receive royalties for its concession.

On January 1, 1986 Aruba awoke as a new country in the Kingdom of the Netherlands in a difficult economic situation. With unemployment being at an all time high, tourism seemed to be the only industry that could bring an upheaval in a short time frame.

To achieve this, all doors were set wide open to foreign airlines; a liberal air transport policy would be the name of the game to set the tourist flow in motion. In the first months of her status aparte Aruba had signed "open skies" agreements with the United States and Venezuela, the two biggest tourist markets for Aruba, which caused a stir with the partners in the Kingdom.

Aruba wanted to negotiate a separate protocol with the Netherlands; the intention being that Aruba should have a national airline. The Netherlands' delegation, consisting of KLM and Rijksluchtvaartdienst, was very skeptical of creating a different protocol for Aruba and preferred to have the same air transport protocol as the one in existence between the Netherlands and the Netherlands Antilles. But

since the opening of the first high rise hotel, the Aruba Caribbean Hotel in 1959, the island government of Aruba has had a semi-liberal attitude towards airlines that showed interest in bringing tourists for our hotels. Signing a restrictive air transport protocol with the Netherlands would have thus restricted efforts to attract airlines from other (European) countries.

The Netherlands is the European champion in liberalization of international air transport. Aruba as a newcomer also saw the advantages of a liberal air transport agreement. Logic dictates that an agreement between the two would be reached with little difficulty. Thus it came to pass that since the end of 1986, 11 rounds of negotiations took place between KLM and Air Transport Authorities of the Netherlands and Aruba, with the irritation for the way Aruba was persisting on her intentions.

After noting that Aruba had signed a liberal air transport agreement with Venezuela, the leader of KLM negotiating team remarked: "If you can be so generous with Venezuela, why don't you go there and ask them for development aid too?" In light of the need to fill the hotel rooms, the minister of Transport and Communications of Aruba went to several national airlines in Europe to offer them the necessary operating permits if they were willing to fly to Aruba. The leader of the Dutch delegation commented: "The minister went to hand out permits as if they were hot cakes".

Air Aruba was established in 1988. An air transport protocol was reached between Aruba and The Netherlands in 1989, and talks began between KLM and Air Aruba on a possible cooperation agreement similar to that between KLM and ALM. Unfortunately, negotiations broke down as KLM was intransigent and Air Aruba proceeded to lease an aircraft to start operations to Frankfurt and Amsterdam. To introduce its services to the market, Air Aruba used a promotional fare to fly Aruba-Amsterdam and vice versa. Air Aruba operated two flights

a week on these routes, all the while fighting negative campaigning and cut-throat competition from KLM, which eventually proved too much. Aruba's national airline had to withdraw in 1994 with deep scars. Air Aruba did not recuperate from these financial wounds and had to stop its operations completely.

Not long after the demise of Air Aruba, negotiations restarted and finally in 1999 the "Open Skies" Protocol between Aruba and The Netherlands was signed, similar with what The Netherlands has with many other countries since 1992. This Protocol lifted all barriers on traffic, designation of airlines, tariffs, freedom rights, scheduled and charter operations. Restrictions for cabotage or grand cabotage were dropped completely.

This Protocol opened the opportunity for more airlines to challenge the monopoly KLM had on the Aruba-Amsterdam route, with the backing of different fair competition rules established by the EU.

However, to help KLM in her marketing, the European Division of the Aruban Tourism Authority had been going to all major European cities to promote travel to Aruba with KLM.

To the disappointment of the tour-operators and Arubans flying to and from The Netherlands, KLM reduced its daily flights in 2005 to 4-5 in 2006; then further reduced these to a single straight flight, two via Sint Maarten and one via Bonaire



in 2007. Last year these were reduced again to two via Sint Maarten and two via Bonaire and recently it was announced that flights to Aruba will be halted completely by the end of March 2009.

Reasons for stopping operations included a loss in profits, the current economic crisis and the environment tax (flight tax) charged by the Dutch authorities.

No protection, no privileges, no flights

KLM's history in the West and the arguments presented by KLM authorities leave many doubts as to the real reasons for KLM's complete withdrawal from Aruba.

During the periods of no competition on the Amsterdam-Aruba route, KLM was operating up to seven flights a week. When a competitor appeared, KLM decided to reduce its flights to four indirect flights. Puzzlingly, KLM made itself less competitive by increasing the price of the ticket, making it more expensive to travel directly to Aruba from Amsterdam, versus to Bonaire or Curaçao.

KLM has been looking for scapegoats, like competition

from charter flights from other European gateways. But these are so welcome because KLM has not been able to serve these routes with sufficient capacity at a reasonable price.

Lastly, the load factor on the Aruba-Amsterdam route was apparently not less than 80%. Even if it was less, KLM should not blame it on lack of promotion or too much competition. A reduction in the number of flights and an increase in fare have certainly dissuaded passengers to fly with KLM. A corner supermarket that used to be open every day and now is only open twice a week is sure to see a reduction in customers, certainly if the price of the groceries increases as well.

Conclusion

Have the colonial-esque protection and privilege structure and the ensuing monopoly position allowed KLM to develop a complacent attitude towards its operations to Aruba? Does KLM now prefer to back out rather than to fight for its long-held position?

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During the New Leadership Award Dinner

Mike Eman leads us to seek a Newer World

ORANJESTAD – Last week, the New Leadership Awards Dinner was held at the Renaissance Convention Center. The following speech was given by Leader of the AVP Mike Eman during the awards ceremony last week in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kennedy.

~ Tonight we share a common commitment to serve our communities, our countries and our people. What company can be a greater testimony of commitment to public service than a person who makes it a point in his life to deliver heating oil to more than 200.000 poor and elderly households in Massachusetts and other cold weather states thus helping and protecting needy families from volatile heating oil prices, which often leave households having to choose between heating the home and paying for other life essentials, such as food, health care, or clothing. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kennedy, we are proud to have you among us today.

Joe, when I walked the halls of the Kennedy Library, full of memories of your father and uncle, and had the opportunity to comprehend, in sharing with you, what one son and nephew has set out for his own life, I was reminded of your fathers words:

“For the fortunate among us, there is the temptation to follow the easy and familiar paths of personal ambition and financial success so grandly spread before those who enjoy the privilege of education. But that is not the road history has marked out for us. Like it or not, we live in times of danger and uncertainty. But they are also more open to the creative energy of men than any other time in history. All of us will ultimately be judged, and as the years pass we will surely judge ourselves on the effort we have contributed to building a new world society and the extent to which our ideals and goals have shaped that event.

The future does not belong to those who are content

with today, apathetic toward common problems and their fellow man alike, timid and fearful in the face of new ideas and bold projects. Rather it will belong to those who can blend vision, reason and courage in a personal commitment to the ideals and great enterprises.” Joe, you have accepted this noble task of serving country and people with a passion, courage and vision that is a true testimony to the fact that the torch of idealism and civic responsibility has been passed to a new generation.

The people in this room tonight have one thing in common. We share the feeling that it is not too late to seek a newer world. We share the belief that as a country and as a people we have the potential and ingredients to create a better future for all.

From the sports initiatives of Nicole Hoevertsz, breaking new grounds for our young to excel in sports; The strength and faith inspiring spiritual guidance of one of Aruba's newest Pastors, Pastor Jairo Maduro;

The eye opening new ideas in New Energy of my friend and colleague, Mike de Meza; The civic responsibility that Michelle Winklaar brings to Corporate Management; The substance and bravery of Magaly Brito in representation of the rights of our workers and employees; The Courageous Defense of National Causes displayed by fellow parliamentarian Benny Sevinger; (Benny you should saved your torn suit from the historic BBO-night for history),

The small business entrepreneurial spirit of Ivone Cabral de Andrade; The compassion with which Luciano Milliard shares his constitutional expertise and teaches nation awareness and building; to the inspiring and creative tourism policy ideas of Ryan Peterson.

It is with these enlightening beams of lights coming from these new beacons of hope that we come here tonight with the confidence that with a new



vision, with a noble mission, a well designed plan we can sail the ship of our country into havens of new opportunity and progress for all.

The source for our strength and commitment should be found and fostered in a sense of responsibility we all should feel towards each other and the society as a whole. Each member of the community owes something to all the rest, and the community owes something to each of its members. Justice requires responsible individuals in a responsive community. Members of a community have a responsibility, to the greatest extent possible, to provide for themselves and their families:

honorable work contributes to the commonwealth and to the community's ability to fulfill its essential tasks. Beyond self-support, individuals have a responsibility for the material and moral well-being of others. This does not mean heroic self-sacrifice; it means the constant self-awareness that no one of us is an island unaffected by the fate of others.

We share the belief that neither human existence nor individual liberty can be sustained for long outside the interdependent and overlapping communities to which all of us belong. Nor can any community long survive unless its members dedicate some of their attention, energy,

and resources to shared projects.

With this sense of responsibility towards others you learn to love, to empathize and to share;

You learn to perceive the hard times in your neighbor's eyes and sense where you may be of some help to her or him; You learn to understand that there are no strangers, but only a friend you have not yet met; You learn to read the scars of our senior citizens, the appreciation and respect that render honor and gratitude to the hard and long road they have traveled.

You learn to carry the dreams of your community and your country and to put your





shoulders to the challenge for a better tomorrow for one and all.

In this way gratitude forms miles of invisible lines of shared happiness, love and respect, forming the fibers that bind a community together, expressed in words as family, society, bario, neighbor, community pride and friendship.

This is the foundation of a good society.

Money value and the demands of daily life threaten to replace moral values in the market economy and in the private lives of too many in an increasingly consumer society. The destructive effects of this evolution are seen in the breakdown of families, the erosion of the social fibers in communities, debt levels that cannot be sustained and widespread criminal behaviour.

Now more than ever with an economic crisis knocking at our doors, our the first reaction could be to put self interest and self preservation as our highest priority. But it is right now that we have to come together as a people and help each other. Make each other strong so that Aruba as a nation can weather this next storm and even better come out even stronger.

The concern with the erosion of the social fibers in our communities, the placing of a relatively high value on the possession of wealth and material goods, the misbalance between self-interest and common interest and the hope that we can Seek A Newer World have become the source for much will for change, idealism and reflection, politically and academically, on the ways to turn the tide and foster caring and sharing communities.

Rather than coercing behavior via laws, we can by using one's "moral voice" to persuade fellow citizens to community norms.

For this moral voice we find a compass in the dreams and works of our fathers.

Joe ...like you, I lost my father at a very young age, he was also just celebrating a hard fought electoral victory when destiny unexpectedly called. I was five years old, we were 8 brothers and sisters. At that age you are too young to understand what their causes and ideals were, but their hard work and lasting legacies leave clear footprints, the souls their idealism touch in life ...live long after they passed away and give guidance and inspiration to the next generation.

Overcoming these losses with motherly love and teaching: faith in our Maker, great values such as honesty, integrity and hard work, Grateful to all who helped during the most trying of times; families who helped carry the burden of loss, friends who extended a helping hand. Grateful for the Aruban soil, for its people, wherever they had come from, its natural beauty and its history, and the great challenges it has endured.

Based upon this motherly example and life experience I came to the conclusion that gratitude is a virtue as it compels humility to admit that we owe our very being, our education, our security and our health, our inspiration, our achievements and our successes to our Maker, to our parents, families and to our friends and neighbors, to our community and to our country; to humanity and to the entire world for that matter.

And from all this, a covenant is born, a responsibility towards your country and our people.

Gratitude may not be abundantly apparent in our daily life but is just at the surface with deep roots and will need just some sprinkling of good responsive citizens, parents, teachers, religious, social and political leaders to bloom and bring us fruits and shade for a lifestyle of caring and sharing: the better society.

I am convinced a communitarian vision on mankind and on society will flourish when our required stands and actions find fertile grounds in a soul and a conviction that is imbedded in shared responsibility, aware of the benevolence of others in order to create a sense of connection and community and contradict the sense of isolation and alienation that is the experience of many people

Living a life in solidarity with others, with a responsibility for the common good we can move beyond self-sufficiency to an acknowledgment that we are connected to those around us—family, neighbors, friends, and colleagues. This feeling of community can permeate everything we do; it can make us better people and can make the world a more peaceful and loving place in which to live.

Aruba has achieved its special autonomous status on the strength of the vision of our forefathers and the perseverance of our people.

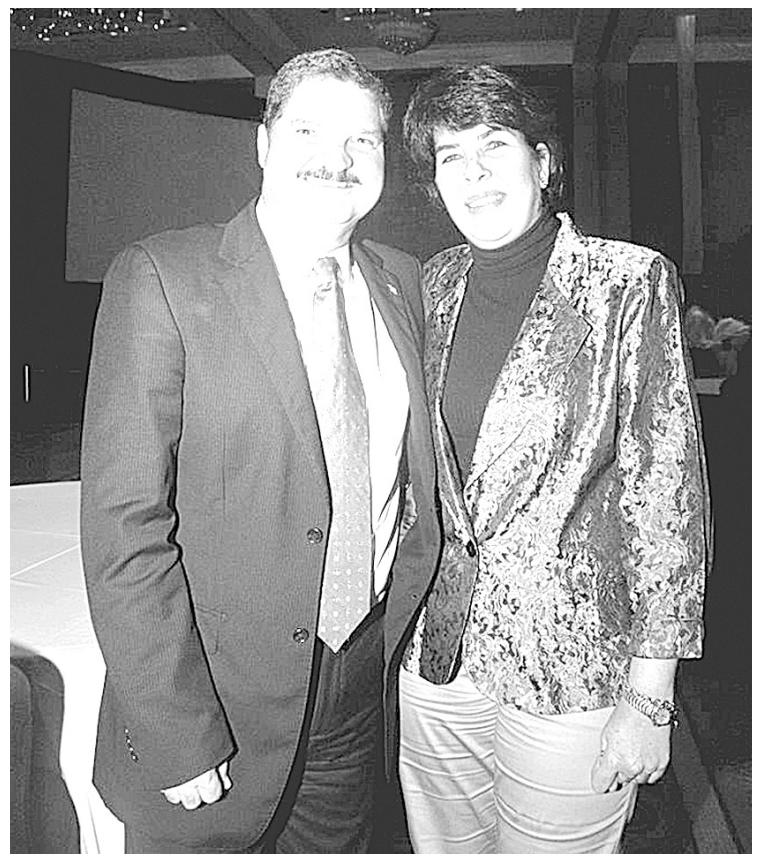
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Aruba has overcome crisis in the past based on great plans and leadership of previous generations of political and community leaders that stept to the plate rolled-up there sleeves and rescued our economy from depression and stagnation and brought prosperity and opportunity.

I am proud, our party is proud to come from these generations of commitment and devotion to country and people.

Today we face our challenges. Our generation can do it.

With the strength of unity, with the clarity of a new vision,



with the inspiration coming from our new leadership we can build better schools for our children, we can take better care of our elderly, we can provide new opportunities for our young professionals, we can be the front runner in research and development of alternative energy, we can fortify and diversify our economy, we can renovate and build modern roads, revitalize our cities and neighborhoods, we can keep our island clean, green, safe and sound for today and tomorrow, for you and all.

We can build a newer world. We can build a better Aruba.

Joe, the idealism inspired by the Kennedy legacy has survived the erosion of time because the work is not finished and the soundness of its ideals are rooted in what makes us human beings, able to love, to empathize and to share.

This is the foundation of a good society.

Your uncle, Edward Kennedy, for whom we all pray for his good health, his words still ring in our ears: "for all those whose cares have been our concern, the work goes on, the cause endures, the hope still lives, and the dream shall never die". □



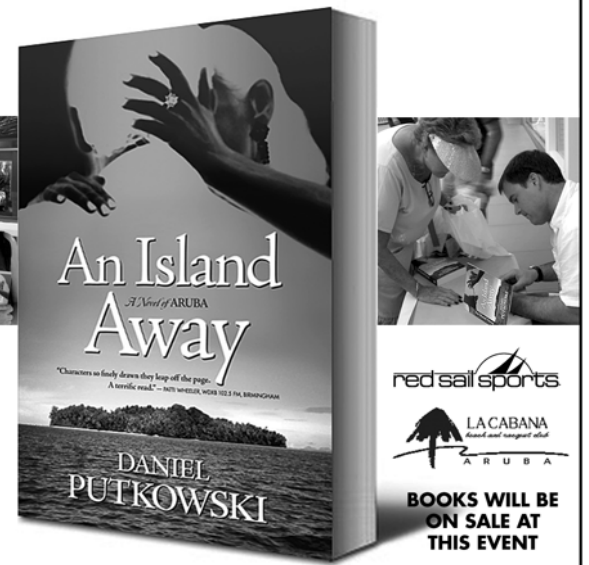
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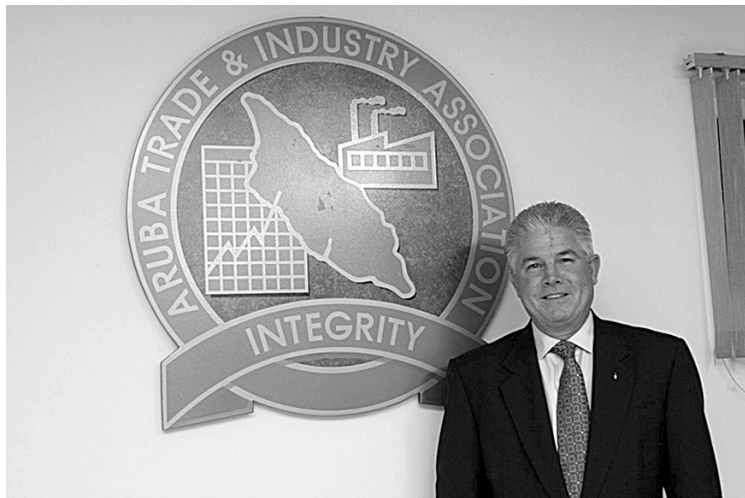
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ATIA Elected a New Board of Directors and President



ORANJESTAD - In a room full of ATIA Members, the biggest commercial organization in Aruba that celebrates 65 years of existence next year, welcomed its new president, Stephen Daal. The well known Juan David Yrausquin stepped down from his appointed position of President of ATIA, which held for the past two years and now fills the position of Vice-President, according to the ATIA statutes.

The intention is that ATIA will go through a process of re-organization where in the near future it will apply the same principles AHATA does, of having a Director who manages daily activities, and also functions as the representative of the company.

In suit with this, ATIA proudly announces that they have come to an agreement with VNO-NCW, whom are the largest commercial organization in the Netherlands, to lend them a hand with this process. The members of ATIA granted their unanimous approval for the scheduled changes. During this transition period, Stephen Daal will be at the head of ATIA in a new structure where a different person will lead the meetings and all board members will manage a separate area in ATIA like for example, labor, integrity, financial matters, arbitrary decisions etc. Members that have been re-elected to the board are, Stephen Daal, Frank



Snijders, Jurgen van Schaijk and Prakash Gupta. Newly elected members are, Michel Henriquez, Robert Croes II, Wim Hoenink and Enrique "Tito" de Cuba. Members that stay on due to prior-appointment are Juan David Yrausquin, Michelle Winklaar and Greg Peterson.

In his final speech, Juan David Yrausquin expressed that when he was studying at the University of IVA Driebergen in the Netherlands, they thought him "to stand out above the crowd. In contradiction, here in Aruba they teach you, if you stick your head above

crowd it'll be chopped off." With this said, the former president of ATIA reviewed all the attempts to maintain the lines of communication open with the reigning government. He explained that even though this was a very difficult task, at certain instances the lines of communication were working properly and this led to wise decisions being made that did not lead to negative effects for ATIA members and Aruba in general. He also expressed that ATIA needs to be ready to sever these ties, if the government is proceeding in a harmful and irresponsible

manner. He reminded all in attendance that one of the main statutes of ATIA, that was determined almost 65 years ago, was of promoting proper ethics and transparency in all ways, it's not for nothing that the ATIA logo contains the word integrity.

In conclusion, Juan David Yrausquin thanked the members and the board of directors of ATIA for their support during the past 2 years. He assured them that it was an honor and privilege to lead them. He wished Stephen Daal and his directors all the best for the future. □





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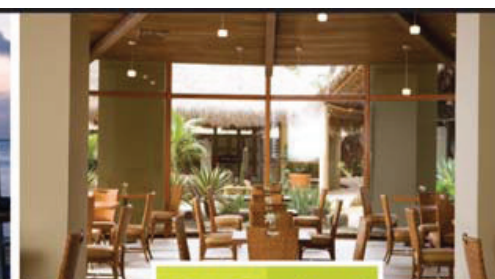


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Presidente di ATIA ta dirigi un serie di pregunta na Minister Booshi Wever

ORANJESTAD - E comunicado aki di sr. Juan Yrausquin, presidente di ATIA, a bin compaña di algun documento, nan ta:

1. Gecombineerde Jaarrekening 2008 AZV.
2. Zorgkosten Buitenland (Documento di AZV) (cual ta sluit aan 100% cu gecombineerde jaarrekening 2008 AZV).
3. Analyse Zorgkosten Buitenland Cardiologie 2008 vs 2007 vs Begroting (un analysis cu ATIA a traha tocante e gastonan cardiologo den exterior y hechosnan relaciona cu esaki a base di diferente documento cu nos ta dispone di dje).
4. Centro Cardiologo Valencia (diferente documento relaciona cu e decision pa usa Fundacardio Valencia).

Sr. Irausquin ta indica cu tin un documento cu e no ta dispone di dje cual lo e ta aprecia si Minister por



sr. Juan Yrausquin, presidente di ATIA

compartie cu nos. Esaki ta e cu Fundacardio Valencia pa acuerdo cu Minister a firma explota e Centro Cardiologo

na Instituto Medico San Nicolas

PREGUNTANAN

Relaciona cu e documentonan aki sr. Irausquin ta aprecia si Minister por a contesta algun pregunta tambe:

1. Con Minister ta splika e diferencia entre e gastonan di Fundacardio Valencia y Fundacardio Infantil Colombia di Afl. 23.364,- pa persona (2008 y 2007)?

2. Con Minister ta splika e diferencia entre e gastonan total di Fundacardio Valencia y Fundacardio Infantil Colombia di Afl. 2.625.652,- na 2008 mientras e cantidad di pacient ta practicamente mescos?

3. Dicon of a base di kua estudio Minister a insisti pa usa Fundacardio Valencia mientras tur cardiologo Arubano y Commissie Grensoverschrijdende Zorg ta bisa cu e calidad di Fundacardio Infantil Colombia ta superior?

4. Den e carta fecha dia 7 di Juni 2007 Minister ta bisa cu Fundacardio Valencia ta mas barata pa un mihor calidad. A

base di kiko Minister ta haci e ponencia aki y con esaki ta cuadra cu e realidad ariba menciona?

5. Con Minister ta splika e diferencia den maneho entre Aruba y (excepcionan pa) Valencia? (Na Aruba Minister tin e maneho di pone tur specialista den servicio di hospital pa asina e specialistanan no haci negoshi cu cuido medico mientras cu na Valencia Minister ta haci uso di un clinica priva cu su meta principal ta pa haci negoshi. Na Aruba Minister tin e maneho cu tur specialista mester ta acredita segun normanan Hulandes mientras na Valencia esaki no ta necesario.)

6. Con Minister a llega na e decision pa firma un acuerdo cu Fundacardio Valencia pa explota e Centro Cardiologo nobo na Instituto Medico San Nicolas? Pa ki suma e contract aki ta pa anja, pa cuanto anja y e proceso pa escohe e clinica priva aki tabata uno transparente? Minister ta autoriza pa firma e acuerdo aki?

SR. Irausquin di ATIA ta señala cu si Minister mester di cualkier tipo di clarificacion riba locual ta menciona aki riba por favor laga nos sa.

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Donny Rasmijn di AVP:

Aruba kier pa Hero Brinkman representa nos den Parlamento Europeo of Dr. Mito Croes?

ORANJESTAD – Miembro di partido AVP, Donny Rasmijn den un conversacion ta expresa cu Aruba mester respalda Dr. Mito Croes su candidatura pa Parlamento Europeo.

Ta conoci cu Parlamento Europeo ta maneha Union Europeo (UE) y cu Hulanda ta cay bou UE. Aruba y e otro islanan antiyano ta forma parti di reino Hulandes y nos tin paspoort Europeo pa motibo cu Hulanda ta forma parti di UE. Desicionan cu Parlamento Europeo tuma ta wordo pasa pa e paisnan cu ta miembro. Aruba y Antiyas Hulandes tambe mester sigi e rumbo cu Europa y Hulanda tuma mientras cu nos no a participa den e cambio. Hulanda si ta participa pero a nos no, Rasmijn ta expresa.

Actualmente “Partij van de Vrijheid” cu ta e partido di Geert Wilders y Hero Brinkman ta creciendo na Hulanda como cu nan ta contra Islam, contra Aruba y Antiyas, contra tur cu ta bin di afo. Nan tambe ta bay participa den e eleccion aki. Nos tur tin diferencia politico ora ta papia di eleccion na Aruba pero ora ta referi defensa di nos pais y nos Status Aparte nos mester para solido hunto cu otro. Dr. Mito Croes ta un experto y e tin e experiencia y calidadnan pa defende nos pais den Parlamento Europeo. Especialmente contra e partido di Sr. Brinkman cu lunanan pasa a expresa cu nos ta “lastpost” pa Hulanda, cu nos ta un set di hendenan corrupto y cu Hulanda mester

pone nos na benta den E-Bay. E-bay ta un web site unda cu bo ta haña articulonnan barata cumpra. Aruba y Antillas tin e oportunidad awor pa por tin representante den Union Europeo. Ban demostra cu nos ta hendenan responsabel y orguyoso di nos pida baranca cu yama Aruba. Ban registra na gran escala pa e eleccion aki y vota pa Dr. Mito Croes. Pa e por representa nos e mester saca su asiento cu por lo menos 20 mil voto. Aruba tin mas di 60 mil hende cu por vota. Pues como pais Aruba NOS POR hacie sin problema. Tin

un grupo di persona cu ta haciendo un esfuerzo grandi dor di pasa cas pa cas pa registra hende pa vota. Ban duna e hendenan aki un man dor di saca un copia di bo paspoort of ID valido te cu Juli 2009 y jama 583-0911 pa nan referibo na e persona cu ta encarga cu e bario. E proceso pa bo vota ta lo siguiente:

1. Registra pa vota dor di jena un formulario specifico, firma y pone un copia di bo paspoort of ID adhunto prome cu 22 di April 2009
2. Entrega e documentonan aki na VNO (Oficina di

Gobernador). E grupo cu ta pasando rond tambe por entrege pa abo.

3. Den luna di Mei 2009 bo ta haña bo stembiljet den post.
4. Vota pa Dr. Mito Croes, pone e biljet den e envelop adhunto y sera e envelop.
5. Dia 4 di Juni 2009 of promer bo mester entrega e envelop cu bo voto na VNO. Aruba ban haci e esfuerzo chikito aki pa demostra cu Aruba ta uni ora cu ta trata nos bienestar general. Corda riba e letranan di nos Himno y ban para pa esey. Donny Rasmijn ta expresa.

Nederland 1, 2 y 3 pronto riba digital cable na Aruba

ORANJESTAD - Pronto lo ripara introducción di e canalnan Hulandes aki cu ta un noticia hopi positivo specialmente pa esnan cu ta custumbra cu e canalnan di televisión na Hulanda, Nederland 1, 2 y 3. Entrante 5 di april, 2009, esta diadomingo proximo, abonadonan di e servicionan aki lo por mira e canalnan popular hulandes aki cu lo bai ta inclui den e pakete Digital Basic.

Pa e lansamento oficial di e canalnan nobo aki a scoge e fecha di 5 di april pa motibo cu e programa di deporte NOS Studio Sport ta cumpliendo su 50 aniversario. Pa e celebración di e aniversario di oro aki, SETAR ta bai transmiti e NOS Studio-Sport jubileum “en bibo”.

Ta bai transmiti Nederland 1, 2 y 3 na dos manera, uno “Live” y uno cu timeshift (esta cu un delay) di 5 of 6 ora dependiendo di e periodo di aña cu nos ta den. E intencion di e timeshift ta pa por ehempel e seccion di noticia “Journal” cu ta pasa 8 PM na Hulanda por pasa aki na Aruba pa 8’or di anochi tambe. Asina e programación ta pasa na orarionan mas adecua pa e televidente di Aruba.

E prome version “live” lo bai riba e canalnan 151, 152, 153 y e version cu delay lo bin mas después riba canalnan 51, 52, 53 respectivamente. Den promer instante e version “live so ta bai ta disponible. SETAR lo anuncia e fecha cu e version cu timeshift ta obtenibel. E canalnan lo ta den e paketenan digital nificando asina cu e cliente mester tin un box digital na su cas pa e por ricibi e canalnan menciona.

EXECUTORIALE VERKOOP

*Krachtens artikel 3:268 van het Burgerlijk Wetboek van Aruba zullen de volgende onroerende zaken in het openbaar worden verkocht.
De verkoop vindt plaats eerst bij opbod en vervolgens bij afmijning.*

1. het recht van erfpacht tot drie september tweeduizend vierenvieftig op een perceel domeingrond, groot zeshonderd vijftien vierkante meter (615m²), gelegen te Palm Beach in Aruba, kadastraal bekend als tweede afdeling sectie C nummer 930, met het daarop gebouwde, plaatselijk bekend als: **Palm Beach 20-D;**

Inzetprijs: Afl. 210.000,00; en

2. het recht van erfpacht tot vier september tweeduizend zesenvijftig op een perceel domeingrond, groot zeshonderd elf vierkante meter (611 m²), gelegen te Kamay in Aruba, kadastraal bekend als tweede afdeling sectie C nummer 2154, met het daarop gebouwde, plaatselijk bekend als: **Kamay 23-H;**

Inzetprijs: Afl. 367.500,00.

Onderhandse schriftelijke biedingen zijn niet meer mogelijk.

De verkoop zal plaatsvinden ten overstaan van mr H.M. Rodriguez-Taekema, notaris in Aruba op dinsdag 31 maart om 10:00 uur in de vergaderzaal van RENAISSANCE CONFERENCE CENTER aan de L.G. Smith Boulevard 82.

Ieder bieder is verplicht zich te legitimeren en te tonen dat hij zijn bod kan nakomen, zulks ter beoordeling van de executant.

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Sunset Grille, a prime Steakhouse also offering Spa Cuisine



PALM BEACH – The Sunset Grille at the Radisson Aruba Resort Casino & Spa needs no introduction. The award winning American steakhouse with its chic, cosmopolitan atmosphere headlines Prime Beef, the highest grade U.S.D.A -- only 2% of all beef is graded prime, required to age a minimum of 4 weeks. While steaks and chops make up the heart of the menu, the resort's Executive Chef Matt Boland and restaurant Chef Maarten Smeets innovated

unparalleled appetizers and extraordinary desserts, which helped the Sunset Grille achieve the Triple AAA's elite four-diamond status – a rare feat for steakhouses. Sunset Grille well-known as the number one steakhouse in Aruba offers also spa cuisine, for the health conscious visitors, featuring appetizers, salads and a wide array of seafood selections. The spa cuisine dishes are balanced by enhancing flavors with citrus, spice and

herbs and taste is elevated by marinating, smoking and grilling, Smeets explains. "We now use many more herbs, vegetables, grains and fibers," adds Boland, "all designed to sustain a healthier life style; and we stay away from saturated fats and refined sugars, as well as use salt sparingly," he informs. "The Sunset Grille kitchen," Boland reveals, "uses no trans fats, and our guests," he banters, "stay healthy, wealthy and wise with our new and exciting spa cuisine." Among the patrons favorite dishes are, the Sunset Grille's famous Chop House Martini Salad, "Shaken not Stirred;" the lobster bisque with a pastry crust, the various cuts of prime beef, the popular Rack of Lamb, Stuffed Quail and the delicious Veal Oscar. The spa cuisine features items such as Tuna Tataki, the Spinach Salad, Chilean Seabass, grilled Swordfish and the Asian style Salmon and Scallops served with the



popular Soba Noodles.

The Sunset Grille always endeavors to exceed guests' expectations by purchasing the very best products available and preparing them in accordance with a combination of "tried and true" as well as cutting edge contemporary methods, Boland explains. Simply put, the Sunset Grille culinary team buys the best products, and cooks them the best way they know, refusing to cut corners, especially when it comes to buying, aging and



cutting meat. No wonder the readers of Caribbean Travel & Life named it the top restaurant in the Caribbean. □

The Coconut Trading Co., is Stocked with Gorgeous Gifts



Palm Beach -- The Coconut Trading Company displays gifts personally selected by owner Jodi Tobman-Hagedoorn, a Boston native and longtime Aruba



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Once-a-day heart combo pill shows promise in study

By **MARILYNN MARCHIONE,**
AP Medical Writer

ORLANDO, Fla. — It's been a dream for a decade: a single daily pill combining aspirin, cholesterol medicine and blood pressure drugs — everything people need to prevent heart attacks and strokes in a cheap, generic form. Skeptics said five medicines rolled into a single pill would mean five times more side effects. Some people would get drugs they don't need, while others would get too little. One-size-fits-all would turn out to fit very few, they warned. Now the first big test of the "polypill" has proved them wrong.

The experimental combo pill was as effective as nearly all of its components taken alone, with no greater side effects, a major study found. Taking it could cut a person's risk of heart disease and stroke

roughly in half, the study concludes.

The approach needs far more testing — as well as approval from the Food and Drug Administration, something that could take years — but it could make heart disease prevention much more common and more effective, doctors say.

"Widely applied, this could have profound implications," said Dr. Robert Harrington, an American College of Cardiology spokesman and chief of Duke University's heart research institute. "President Obama is trying to offer the greatest care to the greatest number. This very much fits in with that."

The polypill also has big psychological advantages, said Dr. James Stein of the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

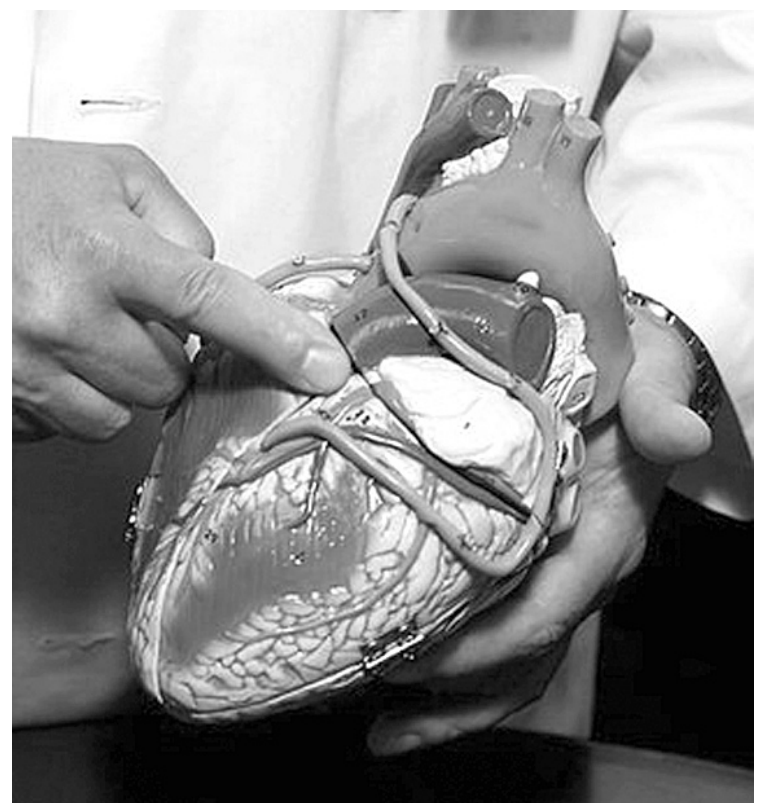
"If you take any medicines, you know that every pill you

see in your hand makes you feel five years older. Patients really object to pill burden" and respond by skipping doses, he said.

No price for the polypill has been disclosed, but its generic components cost only a total of \$17 a month now and doctors expect the combo would sell for far less.

The study was led by Dr. Salim Yusuf of McMaster University in Hamilton, Ontario, and Dr. Prem Pais of St. John's Medical College in Bangalore, India. The findings were presented Monday at the cardiology college's conference in Florida and published online by the British medical journal *Lancet*.

The study tested the Polycap, an experimental combo formulated by Cadila Pharmaceuticals of Ahmedabad, India. It contains low doses of three blood



In this file photo, Dr. John Lasala, director of the Cardiac Cath Lab at Barnes-Jewish Hospital, points out one of the three major coronary arteries, the one he ominously refers to as the 'widowmaker,' using a model of the human heart, June 24, 2002 in St. Louis. The pink tubes on the model depict a heart after bypass surgery.

(AP Photo/Tom Gannam)

Super-chemo targets cancer spreading to the liver

By **LAURAN NEERGAARD,**
AP Medical Writer

WASHINGTON — Bill Darker grinned as he headed into the operating room for a dramatic experiment: A super-high dose of chemotherapy dripped directly into his cancer-ridden liver, 10 times more than patients normally can tolerate. Not to fear. Working through small puncture holes, doctors sealed off Darker's liver and washed most of the toxic medication from his blood so it didn't poison the rest of his body. It's a rigorous effort to fight a notorious killer, cancer that has spread to the liver from elsewhere in the body and left patients with few options and little time.

"I've always wanted to treat this cancer very aggressively since I know the prognosis is very dim," said Darker, 46, who managed to save his eye from ocular melanoma only to have the cancer spread tentacles in his liver. "I just take the gloves off and go for it."

Three times, so far, he has flown from his home in Imperial Beach, Calif., to the National Institutes of Health in suburban Washington to repeat the experimental therapy. Before his last round, Darker's liver tumors had shrunk by about a third.

Now a study at NIH and 10 other hospitals nationwide aims to show whether that kind of shrinkage makes enough of a difference in the length and quality of recipients' lives, and is safe enough, for Food and Drug Administration approval to treat eye or skin melanoma that spreads to the liver.

"It seems like a good weapon," said Dr. Marybeth Hughes of the NIH's National Cancer Institute, as she prepared to treat Darker last week. "If it works effectively it would be very important, because the only other choice

patients have is constant chemotherapy."

More than 200,000 U.S. patients a year learn that various types of cancer — from the eye, skin, colon, pancreas — have metastasized, or spread, to the liver. Whatever the original tumor type, few survive beyond a year or two. Often, cancer this aggressive hits multiple organs. But up to 40,000 patients a year have a life-threatening metastasis confined just to the liver.

They're the target of the new approach, called PHP, for percutaneous hepatic perfusion. While the melanoma research is furthest along, NIH is beginning smaller studies with certain other liver metastases.

How do you seal off a liver? With balloons similar to those used in heart surgery, only bigger.

Darker lay under general anesthesia as NIH's Dr. Elliot Levy carefully threaded a catheter through an artery in his left leg all the way up to where it branches off into the liver.

Then came catheter No. 2, through a vein in the right leg and up to the vena cava, the highway where blood normally flows from the liver into the heart.

This tube bore an uninflated balloon at each end and holes in the middle. Guided by sophisticated X-ray images, Levy inflated the balloons at the top and bottom of the liver, blocking blood's normal exit route.

The tube's holes capture chemo-saturated blood and reroute it out of the body, to a pump where filters scrub away the drug. Filtered blood re-enters the body through a tube in the neck.

It's done with team precision. "Initiating bypass, 10:31," doctors called.

Is the seal good? They injected a dye to be sure. No leaks. □

pressure medicines (atenolol, ramipril and the "water pill" thiazide), plus the generic version of the cholesterol-lowering statin drug Zocor, and a baby aspirin (100 milligrams).

Doctors have talked about such a possibility for years. As the patents on many heart medicines expired and the drugs became available as cheap generics, a few companies started trying to develop all-in-one pills.

Formulating a single pill of five drugs that work in five different ways is a complex task — more complex than simply mixing the medicines. Pills have coatings and other ingredients that control the rate at which the medicine is released into the bloodstream. The polypill must be designed so that the five drugs work as intended.

The Polycap is the furthest along, and this is the largest study of one so far.

The study involved about 2,000 people at 50 centers across India, average age 54, with at least one risk factor for heart disease — high blood pressure, high cholesterol, obesity, diabetes or smoking. Four hundred were given the polypill. The rest were placed

in eight groups of 200 and given individual components of the pill or various combinations. Treatment lasted 12 weeks.

Compared to groups given no blood pressure medicines, those who got the polypill lowered their systolic blood pressure (the top number) by more than 7 units and their diastolic (the bottom number) by about 6 — comparable to levels for people who were given the three drugs without aspirin and the cholesterol drug.

These drops were modest, probably because doses were low and most participants had only moderately high blood pressure to start with, Yusuf said.

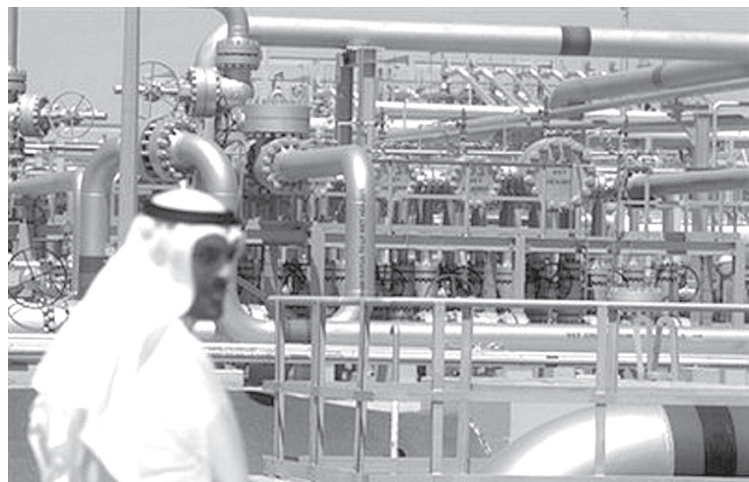
LDL, or bad cholesterol, dropped 23 percent on the polypill versus 28 percent in those taking the statin drug separately.

Triglycerides dropped 10 percent on the combo pill versus 20 percent with individual statin use. Neither pill affected levels of HDL, or good cholesterol.

Anti-clotting effects seemed the same with the polypill as with aspirin alone.

Side effect rates were the same for the polypill as for the five medicines individually. □

Oil falls nearly 6 percent on dollar, stock market



A Kuwaiti worker walks at a gathering center in the northern Al-Rawdhatain oilfield, 2005. A top oil executive said that OPEC member Kuwait has boosted its oil production capacity to three million barrels per day and aims to raise it to four million by 2020.

(AFP/File/Yasser al-Zayyat)

NEW YORK (Reuters) – Oil fell nearly 6 percent to below \$50 a barrel on Monday, weighed down by the stronger U.S. dollar and a slump on global stock markets.

The U.S. government's rejection of turnaround plans for troubled automakers GM (GM.N) and Chrysler also dampened investor sentiment and encouraged selling.

U.S. oil for May delivery fell \$2.99 to \$49.39 a barrel by 12:34 p.m. EDT, off an earlier low of \$49.04. The contract fell \$1.96 to settle

at \$52.38 a barrel on Friday, pulling back from Thursday's four-month high.

London Brent crude fell \$2.95 to \$49.03 on Monday. "Stock markets have taken a bit of a pounding, the dollar has improved and the U.S. car industry news -- these have all put a lot of pressure on oil markets this morning," said Rob Montefusco, a trader at Sucden Financial in London.

U.S. stocks followed European and Asian markets lower on Monday after the Obama administration's autos task force rejected turnaround plans for GM and Chrysler, raising the prospect of bankruptcies that could further hurt the ailing U.S. economy.

This renewed spirit of risk aversion strengthened the U.S. dollar, which rose against other major currencies, adding downward pressure on oil prices.

Oil has had a bullish first quarter of 2009, closing on Friday some 17 percent higher than the start of the year, after stock markets rallied and oil supplies were tightened as the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries curbed exports.

WEAK GLOBAL ECONOMY

However, the global economy remains weak, leaving analysts skeptical over the

longevity of oil's rally.

Industrial output from Japan, the world's No. 3 energy consumer, fell by a greater-than-expected 9.4 percent in February, as weak demand weighed on the country's economy.

The Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development said on Sunday that unemployment rates were set to reach double digits in many developing and advanced countries.

However, analysts said any signs the U.S. economy was stabilizing offered some underlying support for oil, keeping prices above the psychologically important \$50 a barrel level.

U.S. President Barack Obama said in an interview published on Sunday he saw "glimmers of stabilization" in some areas of the U.S. economy, including pockets of the domestic housing market.

Leaders of the Group of 20 developed and developing nations meet on April 2, with OPEC hoping it will agree measures to shore up the global economy and bolster oil demand. Gulf OPEC producers see an oil price of about \$50 a barrel as good enough for now given the global economic slowdown and the seasonal fall in fuel demand, a senior Gulf OPEC delegate said on Monday. □

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Stocks tumble as automaker plans are rejected

By SARA LEPRO and TIM PARADIS,

AP Business Writers

NEW YORK — Wall Street's March rally is on hold after the White House rejected turnaround plans from General Motors Corp. and Chrysler and gave investors an economic reality check.

Major indexes fell about 3 percent Monday, including the Dow Jones industrial average, which lost about 254 points but finished well off its lows. Financial stocks weighed heavily on the market amid worries that banks will need fresh injections of capital.

Fears of an automaker bankruptcy have been looming over investors for months, and the latest developments, which included the removal of GM's CEO Rick Wagoner, made the market even more uneasy not only about the industry, but the overall economy. However analysts said the pullback, which began with a 148-point drop in the Dow Friday, wasn't surprising after the average surged 21 percent over just 13 days.

"The market had a very significant rally off the lows," said David Katz, chief investment officer at Matrix Asset Advisors. "We think it's just taking a breather."

According to preliminary calculations, the Dow tumbled 254.16, or 3.3 percent, to 7,522.02. The Dow was down as much as 339 points so the market's ability to end off its lows on light trading volume could signal that investors aren't ready to give up on the rally.

The Standard & Poor's 500 index fell 28.41, or 3.5 percent, to 787.53, while the Nasdaq composite index fell 43.40, or 2.8 percent, to 1,510.80.

Despite the two-day retreat, the Dow is still up 975 points, or 14.9 percent, from its low on March 9, when it ended at its worst levels since April 1997. The S&P 500 index is still up 16.4 percent from its low.

The March rally was fed by economic and corporate reports that were starting to look more encouraging. Now, investors are taking money out of the market ahead of

economic numbers this week and first-quarter earnings in the weeks ahead, fearing that disappointing data, including the government's March employment report on Friday, will set the market back.

The problems still facing automakers and banks gave investors more incentive to sell.

President Barack Obama refused further long-term federal bailouts for GM and Chrysler, saying the companies needed to get more concessions from unions, creditors and others before the money could be approved. He also raised the possibility of controlled bankruptcy for one or both of the companies.

"It was a pretty sharp reminder that there are some difficulties here," said Matt King, chief investment officer at Bell Investment Advisors.

Underscoring the fear that the financial industry's troubles are far from over, Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner said Sunday banks would likely need considerably more money. Also over the weekend, Spain was forced to bail out a bank for the first time since the financial crisis began. The Bank of Spain took control of a small savings bank and provided \$12 billion in government funds to support it.

Banks were a driving force behind the market's rally in March and analysts now expect those shares to see some of the biggest declines as investors become more conservative ahead of the first-quarter earnings reports in the next few weeks. Bank of America Corp. fell 17.8 percent Monday and Citigroup fell 11.8 percent.

Many market watchers had called the recent upturn a bear market rally, or a temporary upturn within a bear market, defined as a 20 percent decline from a peak level. Rallies within bear markets can ratchet up big gains but also can easily come crashing down.

"Twenty percent is a normal bear market rally," said Ron Weiner, president and chief executive of Westport, Conn.-based investment advisory

firm RDM Financial. "Testing bottoms is a long-term process."

With the economy still deeply troubled, some analysts say Wall Street may have gotten ahead of itself.

"I think we had a huge run up ... that was not really justified," said Peter Jankovskis, co-chief investment officer at OakBrook investments.

"There are a lot of negatives right now on the horizon."

Bank stocks had rallied on the hope that their first-quarter performance would be better than expected. But on Friday, the heads of JPMorgan Chase & Co. and Bank of America Corp. diminished some of those hopes when they said March has not been as good for business as the first two months of the year.

"It's just prudent to take profits nowadays," said Weiner, who recently took half of his money out of a financial-based exchange-traded fund because of the recent gains. "You have to mix up cash with alternatives that act opposite from the market."

Bank of America dropped \$1.31, or 17.9 percent, to

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The numbers are displayed on a board at New York Stock Exchange shortly after the closing bell, Monday, March 30, 2009 in New York. Wall Street's March rally is on hold after the White House rejected turnaround plans from General Motors Corp. and Chrysler and gave investors an economic reality check.

(AP Photo/Mary Altaffer)

\$6.03. Citigroup Inc. shed 31 cents, or 11.8 percent, to \$2.31.

GM plunged 92 cents, or 25.4 percent, to \$2.70. Chrysler is not publicly traded.

Investors are also awaiting Thursday's meeting in London of G-20 leaders of industrialized and developing countries. The group is expected to increase financial regulation, but investors' hopes for a coordinated fiscal boost are waning. The Financial Times, citing a draft of the meeting's communique, reported there are no specific plans for a fiscal stimulus

package.

In other market moves, the Russell 2000 index of smaller companies dropped 13.03, or 3 percent, to 415.97.

About seven stocks fell for every one that rose on the New York Stock Exchange, where volume came to 1.5 billion shares.

Bond prices mostly rose as stocks fell. The yield on the benchmark 10-year Treasury note, which moves opposite its price, fell to 2.72 percent from 2.76 percent late Friday. The yield on the three-month T-bill was at 0.14 percent, up from 0.12 percent Friday. □

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How Much Does It Cost?

Robert Dreyfuss

The Nation -- The General Accounting Office, at least, is still using the phrase "Global War on Terrorism," when it adds up how much the wars in Iraq, Afghanistan, and related matters are costing us. Their latest report, issued Monday, March 30, is called: "Global War on Terrorism: Reported Obligations for the Department of Defense."

The bottom line: Since 2001, it's \$808 billion. (Of course, if you add collateral costs, interest, and so forth, you can get a much bigger number.) But there it is.

As the report helpfully notes:

After the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, the President announced a Global War on Terrorism, requiring the collective instruments of the entire federal government to counter the threat of terrorism. Ongoing military and diplomatic operations overseas, especially in Iraq and Afghanistan, constitute a key part of GWOT. These operations involve a wide variety of activities, such as combating insurgents, training the military forces of other nations, and conducting small-scale reconstruction and humanitarian relief projects. It adds:

About \$187 billion has been provided for fiscal year 2008 and about \$65.9 billion has been appropriated for use in fiscal year 2009. DOD plans on requesting an additional \$75.5 billion in supplemental funds for fiscal year 2009.

Of the \$808 billion, \$28 billion has been spent on US military operations in defense of the "homeland," under the rubric Operation Noble Eagle. The bulk, \$533.5 billion, was spent in Iraq. And \$124 billion was spent in Afghanistan ("Operation Enduring Freedom"), the Horn of Africa, and the Philippines. Most of that latter amount, of course, was spent in Afghanistan. The report adds:

Recent increases in reported obligations for Operation Enduring Freedom are in part caused by higher troop levels in Afghanistan, the costs associated with training Afghan security forces, and the need to repair and replace equipment after several years of ongoing operations.

The latest troop boost in Afghanistan isn't reflected yet. □

Obama & Europe: Is the Honeymoon Over?

David Paul Kuhn

The love affair between Obama and Europe is about to face its first test.

As President Obama steps onto the world stage this week, he must ease the tension between the candidate Europe fell in love with and the president they have yet to substantively embrace.

Obama must now convince his audience that the policies he ran on, and is implementing, are inseparable from the face that Europeans found so fashionable. He is no less compelled to prove to Americans that the warm reception he received as a candidate carries real diplomatic chits as president.

The test for American allies, and perhaps even adversaries, is whether they can show that a turn from George W. Bush's perceived unilateralism to Obama's sought after multilateralism will serve not only their interests but U.S. interests as well. After all, if all politics is local then all international politics is national. Obama must demonstrate to Americans that using your words can, at times, carry one further than one's might. It's this combination of tests that frames Obama's first extended trip abroad. The president begins tomorrow with the G-20 summit in London, aiming for a global response to a global financial crisis. On Thursday and Friday, Obama attends NATO's 60th anniversary summit meeting in Strasbourg, France and in Baden-Baden and Kehl, Germany, where the commander-in-chief hopes to convince skeptical allies that they too have a stake in the U.S. war in Afghanistan. Obama then goes on to Prague, Ankara and finally Istanbul, where he hopes to convey that the election of a man named Barack and Hussein exemplifies that America is a nation of open minds.

By trip's end Obama though may have little to show for the diplomatic blitz. There is a heightened temptation abroad to scold America. Many U.S. allies and adversaries believe that the war in Iraq has undercut American national security clout and that the global recession has done the same to America's economic authority. To much of the world, the United States is looking like the Wizard of Oz. The flash is mesmerizing but many nations question the country behind the curtain. They see an unregulated wild west with an unsustainable financial machine that depends on nations like China for endless credit.

As Columbia Professor of International Affairs Michael W. Doyle put it: "The curtain is about to

be raised ... and he will walk out as the key actor."

The U.S. narrative, as Europe has long requested, though has changed. The executive order closing the Guantanamo Bay detention center within a year confirmed a willingness to heed world opinion.

The staggered withdrawal of U.S. soldiers in Iraq should also help mend the tear in transatlantic relations.

Even Americans are now second-guessing "cowboy capitalism." There is a sense that hedge funds will be regulated like banks, though not to the extent that nations like France desire. The United States has also put its money where its mouth is, investing trillions in revitalizing its own economy at the moment it asks the same of the world powers.

Obama's election was the most powerful gesture of all that the United States has, in the president's words, "turned the page." European magazines covered themselves with photos of Obama during the campaign in a fashion rivaling those of David Beckham. It was just last summer that 200,000 Germans crowded Berlin's Tiergarten park to hear the candidate lecture on how to "save this planet" with an ethos of "global citizenship."

It is Europe however acting most parochial of late. On the eve of the G-20, French President Nicolas Sarkozy argues that "radical reform" of capitalism should be the top issue. German Chancellor Angela Merkel told reporters that she "will not let anyone tell" her "we must spend more money." It was a most blunt, perhaps Bushian, challenge to Obama and British Prime Minister Gordon Brown's effort to orchestrate trillions of dollars in global fiscal stimulus.

The Spanish finance minister, Pedro Solbes, said he too opposes new large-scale spending. The Czech Republic's prime minister characterized the United States' push for a global stimulus as "the road to hell." This rhetoric is hardly the statesmanship Europe has demanded of us.

The responses are also indicative of European national politics. There is less urgency to exit the recession in continental Europe. The focus instead is on long-range solutions like an international financial regulatory structure. Continental Europe's automatic stabilizers pump more money into the economy and its wider safety nets insulate its citizens from economic anxiety. Losing your job, across Europe, does not mean you lose your health insurance. □



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Jonas Brothers Making Up for Movie Disappointment



Breanne L. Heldman
Los Angeles (E! Online) — Perhaps that poor showing in the box office didn't signify the Jonas Brothers were done after all.

The reason for the Disney megagroup's poor turnout for their movie, Jonas Brothers:

3D Concert Experience, is becoming rather apparent. Their tour—you know, the thing where you pay a lot more but you get to see them in person in a giant room with tens of thousands of other screaming fans—has sold out huge arena venues in many

major cities, including New York, Los Angeles, Chicago, Philadelphia, Houston, Pittsburgh, Edmonton, New Orleans, Atlanta and Washington, D.C. In fact, the trio sold more than 800,000 total tickets when the shows went on sale this weekend.

Jordin Sparks, as well as Honor Society, are joining the boy band for the North American leg of the tour, while Demi Lovato will help them kick off the festivities in Latin America in May.

"Ticket sales for this tour have been phenomenal," says Jason Garner, chief executive officer for global music for Live Nation.

"It's clear to us that Jonas Brothers are a true global touring powerhouse."

The good news follows the siblings' big win for Favorite Music Group at the Nickelodeon Kids' Choice Awards Saturday evening. □

Fire destroys ski lodge co-owned by Bruce Willis

FAIRFIELD, Idaho — Authorities say a fire has destroyed the main lodge at a small ski operation co-owned by Bruce Willis. Camas County Chief Deputy Brian Miller says the Soldier Mountain Ski Resort lodge and an adjacent ski rental building were destroyed in the Monday morning blaze. No one was injured.

Willis has been working with forest officials on a new master development plan for the south-central Idaho resort, with runs in the mountains of the Sawtooth National Forest. The "Die Hard" actor has a home in nearby Hailey.

The resort closed for the season last week. □

NBC Universal says going green saves \$2 million

NEW YORK — NBC Universal says it saved \$2 million last year by going green.

The media giant has been promoting environmentally friendly efforts on its TV shows and in practice, looking for reduced power costs and telling its executives to lay off the bottled water.

The company says its polls show NBC's image as a "green" network is being recognized by viewers. Although it hasn't translated into ratings success, the company believes it's a smart strategy for the future.

NBC executive Lauren Zalaznick says advertisers are interested in reaching consumers concerned about the environment. □

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Fried fish would be the common choice, but you can get your entrée broiled, grilled or baked. However you can indulge in the more guilty options for lobster, Alaskan king crab legs, grouper, shrimp, Black Angus tenderloin and so forth. Ease your

conscience and add a salad or go all out and try their delicious crab cakes, fish soup, garlic escargots, lobster crepe and coconut shrimps before your hearty entrée.



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PALM BEACH - Henri Charrière, one of the world's most famous prisoners, would surely have had the time of his life at Papillon Restaurant in The Village, across from the Radisson Resort. Nicknamed Papillon because of the butterfly tattoo on his chest, the Frenchman was the first convict to escape from Devil's Island, something that nobody had ever done before. Charrière's thrilling, gripping autobiography has been the concept behind Papillon Restaurant. The décor, the decorations and especially the restrooms wink

at the thirteen terrible years Papillon spent in prison in French Guyana.

Papillon Restaurant's menu reflects the Frenchman's arduous journey to freedom: classic French dishes have been dusted with daring Caribbean flair and are a culinary journey for your taste buds. The spacious outside terrace is perfect for casual fine dining; the

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Parlamentario sr. Otmar Oduber

Gobierno no a responsabilisa na Parlamento kico nan a haci of ta haciendo cu e placa di Plant NV

ORANJESTAD - Algo cu AVP ta cuestiona seriamente ta e hecho cu e fondonan cu a ricibi for di Hulanda pa loke ta e garantianan cu tanto e gobierno aki a keha, pero cu awe nan ta contento cu a ricibi esaki y nan mester gradici sr. Henny Eman semper, pa nan por a logra awe cobra e mas cu 200 miyonan aki for di Plant NV, te awe ainda nan no a pasa Parlamento. Parlamentario sr. Otmar Oduber a bisa nan no sa con gobierno ta bai uza e placa aki, cu ta di pueblo di Aruba entre otro den e fondo aki mester tin e 15 miyon florin destina pa caya grandi, cu diripiente ta parse cu ta palca chikito di sr. Nelson Oduber e ta, cu e ta dicidi ki ora ta us'e of no, depende ken ta beneficia of no, pero e cosnan aki no ta corecto.

Nan mester acudi na parlamento y parlamento mester ta na haltura dicon fondonan di pueblo ta wordo uza y con nan ta wordo inverti, sino simplemente bo ta haya cu nan ta sigui enrikece famia y amigonan di e gobierno aki. E placa aki supuestamente na Banco Central, pasobra AVP no a haya confirmacion di esakinan tampoco, pero ta simplemente palabranan di e gobernantenan, pero normalmente mester inclui esaki den presupuesto, of alomenos mester trece esakinan Parlamento, pa asina atravez di e lei di presupuesto, fondonan di gobierno of di pueblo por wordo vigila.

Full e suma aki a bai riba un escrow accountant y AVP no sa pakico e ta wordo uza y ningun hendenan cuanto placa ta bai na kico y te dia di awe gobierno no a bisa esaki. Mesun cos esaki ta cu e BBO. E pueblo aki a wordo cobra mas di 150

miyon florin den 2007 pa 2008, unda e placa aki a bai? Ningun hende a sa, ken ta biba miho na Aruba, kico a wordo drecha nan Aruba, anto e ora AVP ta kere cu un tarea cu un gobierno nobo tin na september benidero, ta un tarea sumamente grandi. Tur hende ta na haltura di loke ta bayendo bon, pero loke ta scondi fraccion di AVP no ta conoci cune ainda, pero despues di eleccion na september lo saca esakinan na lus di dia.

Sr. Otmar Oduber a duna di conoce cu na numeroso ocasion a puntra gobierno pa responsabilisa pa e asunto aki, pero ningun di nan kier duna responsabilidad, a puntra Minister Swaan di tur manera pero nada. nan ta bisa cierto suma ta bai pa paga debenan cu Hulanda y e resto ap tal proyecto, pero no ta asina ta maneha cu placa. A puntra sr. Otmar Oduber riba e placa di Fondo pa Desaroyo, cu den pasado tambe a bai via di Banco Central, pero e la bisa cu Fondo di Desaroyo tabata basa riba e raport di Sasaki y basa riba e raport aki cu henter comunidad tabata involvi cune pa dos aña largo, a cuminsa cune via di Banco Central, pero completamente raport ay na palca chikito unda tur e placanan aki a bai den e presupuesto tambe, pues e suma cu a bai banco central tabata wordo hustifica den presupuesto. Awor aki full e suma cu a bai pa turismo, nan ta bisa cu ta 10 miyon dollar, pero e suma aki no a pasa via di Parlamento, pues no ta na haltura si esaki a tuma luga si of no.

Pues e simpel hecho cu e placa no ta yega parlamento, ta lanta duda serca parlamentarionan di AVP. Sr. Otmar Oduber a bisa cu nan trabou ta pa



controla fondo di gobierno y con e ta haya nan y uza nan. Den un presupuesto normal tambe bo ta controla maneho di gobierno, pues bo ta mara nan e presupuesto e control di maneho, pero anda di esaki actualmente ta presente y ora haya un presupuesto ta copia di e aña anterior y ningun hende por controla esaki nan, paso no tin un relato anual y tur esakinan ta trece duda riba e situacion financiero di e gobierno aki y ningun momento nan a raporta riba dje.



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CAD preocupa cu e cambionan cu gobierno ta haciendo pa entrega relatonan annual

Cu e cambionan presupuestonan lo no cuadra

ORANJESTAD - E ciclico di presupuesto 2009 ta di 8 presupuesto cu desde 2002 cu e gobierno actual a sinta y ta tratando e di 8 presupuesto y despues di e 8 presupuesto cu a wordo ehecuta caba, te ainda no tin responsabilisacion di un presupuesto cu e gobierno aki a presenta na parlamento.

Desde 2002 no a entrega ningun relato annual mas. Cada biaha ta haci pregunta y ta tende cu ta den proceso, pero e cuentanan annual te ainda not a yegando parlamento pa trata. Ta constata cu gabinete Oduber no ta dunando cuenta pa e fondonan publico cu ta ser aloca na nan por medio di presupuesto cu parlamento mes ta aproba y irrespecto e insistencia di banda di AVP pa haya e cuentanan annual, ainda nan no ta yega.

Awor aki a surgi un punto cut a trece mas preocupacion den AVP, cu nan ta ricibi carta

di CAD fecha di aña pasa november, caminda cu ta indica cu diripiente gobierno ta cambiando e forma di raporta cuentanan annual manera cu nan ta preparando esaki pa manda parlamento y nan ta cambiando esaki significadamente cu e cifranan no ta keda comparabel mas. Den pasado pa e cuenta annual 2005 cu tin traha caba, pero cu no a manda parlamento ainda, a concorda cu e opzet di e cuenta annual, e inrichting di e cuenta annual y e waarderingsgrondslag di e cuenta annual aki lo ta di cierto forma y meta tabata pa yega na un sistema di relato financiero anual cu ta aceptabel.

Awor aki CAD a manda un carta pa aña 2006, mustrandonan preocupacion, indicando cu e cifranan no ta comparabel mas. Bo ta haya un deficit ora ta presenta cuentanan 2006 y no tin cifranan di comparacion di 2006 cu no ta comparabel

cu 2005 y bo no tin idea con e placanan ta wordo gasta of ta compara di e aña pa otro, pa e forma con a uza e placa aki. CAD ta indica tambe den e carta cu ta haya cu e cifranan comparabel ta esencial pa un relato annual pa asina tin un transferencia pa e forma con ta duna indicacion con ta uza e fondonan publico y ta indica tambe cu sin e cifranan comparabel aki y sin un motivacion husto y responsabel pa loke ta e cambio den e sistema, nan no ta haya ta responsabel pa no ni haci un investigacion na e relato 2006 y ta duna conseho pa cambia y drecha e cambionan aki den e relato annual di 2006.

Pa AVP e preocupacion aki ta, prome cu gobierno ta haci un intento pa responsabilisa pa e uso di fondonan publico, ya caba ta trece duda den e asunto aki y esaki no ta forma di hiba un politica responsabel, pa trece claridad

y transparencia den e forma cu ta haci uso di fondonan publico. Tur ciclo di presupuesto mester termina cu responsabilisacion y ta deber di gobierno pa duna esaki den un forma cu e ta comparabel. Cualquier hende cu ta haci un analisis di e cuentanan annual, por haya un bista di us mes cone fondonan a wordo uza di e aña ei, con esaki ta comparabel cu e

añanan anterior y si ta trata di relatonan annual mas den pasado y cone ta comparabel cu e añanan despues tambe. E forma di compara y duna informacion asina aki, ta pa tin claridad, pa bo por responsabilisa di e forma con ta uza fondonan publico, pa gobierno mes pa publico y



Parlamentario sr. Andy Lee

pa parlamento haci su trabou bon y awor aki nan den e forma aki caba di raporta, prome bo ta presenta nan pa parlamento, ya caba ta trece un bruhacion. Ta spera cu Minister di finanzas duna aclaracion di e situacion, pa asina no tin duda den loke ta tuma lug.

RED cu anochi sumamente exitoso na Paradera



ORANJESTAD - Diasabra ultimo a tuma lugar otro actividad sumamente exitoso di partido RED. Segun partido RED, e fundraising Bingo a surpasa tur nos expectativanan. Club Caiquetio tabata yen yen y no tabata tin lugar pa mas hende.

Na mesun momento por a registra pa vota pa eleccion Europeo y cantidad di ciudadano a hasi

uso di e servicio aki. E portret ta papia pa su mes, y ta expresa e cantidad di hende cu a acudi na Club Caiquetio.

Partido RED ta gradici un y tur cu a yuda haci e anochi aki asina exitoso. Y un palabra grandi di gratitud ta bai pa e publico. Partido RED ta demostrando una bez mas cu nos ta creciendo



rumbo pa eleccion 2009. A pesar di tur critica infunda, rumornan falso, difamacionnan contra RED, nada no por stop RED di sigui crece. Pueblo sa di husga cu pasobra RED ta creciendo, e criticanan tambe ta creciendo.

RED ta e partido alternativo cu tur bista ta riba dje como esun cu por construi un miho futuro pa Aruba.

Parlamentario Otmar Oduber contestando Minister Booshi Wever

“Un tal Otmar Oduber no a falsifica diploma y tampoco a horta placa di e pueblo aki”

Gobierno a perde 7 caso y a gasta miyones pa persigui hende

ORANJESTAD – A scucha un Minister Booshi Wever den su afan di ataca hende, ta menciona cu e si no ta manera un tal Otmar, pero e si ta uza su nomber. Riba un base personal, sr. Otmar Oduber a bisa Minister Booshi Wever, cu nunca bo lo a haya no tal Otmar ta falsifica diploma, cobra palca pe y no sa te dia di awe si e la paga e placa bek, esei ta un hecho y e la wordo conde ape y e ta riba preto cu blanco y e no por cambia esei.

Loke bo tin si ta un tal Otmar cu a gana caso contra e gobierno aki, un tal Otmar cu e gobierno aki mester a paga 40 mil florin na daño y perhuicio, un tal Otmar cu nan a persigui y cu e pueblo di Aruba aki a paga miyones na oficina di abogado pa purba di mancha nomber id hende drechi den e comunidad aki, esei ta e tal Otmar cu en todo caso esnan di Otmar ta referi na dje.

Mescos e tipo di campañanan manera cu nan ta purba papia di cu si un oficina a habri na Paradera, un oficina cu mayoria miembro di prensa a pasa bishita, pero cu den mente di hendenan di MEP, cu esnan cu cada biaha ta rondona cu corrupcion, tin hendenan cu boluntariamente ta traha pa habri un oficina di bario, nan no por pensa cu e pueblo aki tin hendenan cu boluntariamente ta traha pa habri un oficina di bario, nan no pro pensa cu tin famianan aki na Aruba, ta duna libremente, sin cu tin cu paga hur, no manera cu ta mira cierto barnan banda di Frans Figaroa na nort cu ta birando centronan pa hubentud, mientras cu durante 8 aña nan a lubida cu hubentud ta existi. Diripiente por huur un edificio di 80 mil florin, pa habri un centro di hubentud cu nunca e mandatario a percura pe, anto esei Otmar ta bisa cu nan ta uza e expresion, “el ladrón piensa que todos son de su

misma condicion”, den e caso aki sr. Otmar Oduber tin tranquilidad na curason die pueblo aki, cu partido AVP a traha y ta biba den e comunidad aki scuchando kico ta e dolornan cu tin temporada di eleccion ta bai paga 80 mil florin pa pretende cu tin un comision cu ta pro Marisol pa hubentud, pero durante 8 aña e no a haci nada pa e hubentud di Aruba, pero net net nada e la haci pa e hubentud aki.

Mirando cu nos ta na vispera di eleccion cu ta dilanti, ta bon pa pone e cosnan aki bon cla tambe pa dilanti, pa asina kita tur e dudanan cu tin den nos comunidad y trece e cosnan manera nan ta. Sr. Otmar Oduber ta haya masha lamentabel e forma con mandatarionan den e pais aki ta expresa nan mes, pa asina trata na rebaha y danja hende drechi y humile su nomber den e comunidad aki, sin mira nan mes.

Den bario di Pos Chikito:

“Soft opening” di cas di partido di AVP



ORANJESTAD - Partido AVP ta masha activo den e ultimo dianan. Diadomingo cu a pasa, e candidata di Pos Chikito mr Desiree Croes hunto cu su colega di partido Clarisca Velasquez a celebra apertura di e cas di partido AVP den e bario aki. E bario na unda Desiree a nace, a lanta y ta biba ainda. Algo intresante pa remarca ta e hecho cu tur cas di partido di AVP tin e mesun arquitectura típico Arubiano y ta Berde di Mes...

Intresantemente un cantidad grandi di hende

a acudi na e evento aki pa celebra, pero hopi tambe a yega cu paspoort of cedula den man pa inscribi pa votación pa Parlamento Europeo. E inscripcionan tabata hopi y por mira cu tin hopi hende masha intresa mes den e desaroyo grandi aki den nos relacionan den y pafor di Reino Hulandes. E intencion ta cu for di diarazon en padilanti Cas di Partido AVP na Pos Chikito lo ta habri pa un y tur henter dia. Por bisa cu definitivamente e dia aki tabata uno exitoso.



KvK Suriname di bishita na Aruba a firma acuerdo di colaboracion cu KvK Aruba



ORANJESTAD – Dialuna 16 di maart 2009 Camara di Comercio y Industria Aruba (KvK) a ricibi bishita di un delegacion comercial bou guia di Kamer van Koophandel en Fabrieken di republica di Suriname.

E delegacion tabata consisti di 43 representante di diferente

sector economico y di sector publico di e pais y tabata bou guia di presidente di KvK Suriname, sr. Robert Ameerali y vice-presidente sr. Narpath Bissumbhar.

Tambe tabata acompaña e delegacion e ministro di Comercio y Industria di Suriname, sr. Clifford Marica.

E bishita na Aruba tabata parti di un gira cu a hiba e delegacion comercial pa Colombia y Chile, unda tambe creacion di lazonan comercial tabata e obhetivo.

Nasede di KvK Aruba a percursa pa un programa completo pa e delegacion unda despues di palabranan di bonbini di

presidente di KvK, sr. Edwin Roos, a presenta informacion amplio tocante economia di Aruba, na encargo di hefe di departamento di Business Information & Support, sra. Laureen Dix. Despues di un rondleiding na sede di KvK a pasa pa firmamento di un acuerdo di colaboracion entre KvK Suriname y KvK Aruba y den oranan di atardi a conclui cu dos presentacion, un di e comision “Nation of Innovation” di e proyecto “Nos Aruba 2025” presenta pa sra. Lucia White y e otro na encargo di sr. Ryan Peterson di Universidad di Aruba, cu a presenta nan vision riba futuro di Aruba su turismo.

ACUERDO DI COLABORACION

E acuerdo cual a ser firma pa Presidente Robert Ameerali y Vice-Presidente Narpath Bissumbhar di KvK Suriname, y pa Presidente Edwin Roos y Secretario Lorraine de Souza pa KvK Aruba, ta encera:

Stimula e lazonan di colaboracion entre e paisnan promoviendo comercio, turismo y e relacionnan economico y industrial en general y di asistencia tecnico, a traves di:

- intercambio di informacion tocante economia y sector economico;
- promocion di comercio, turismo y exportacion.

Intercambio di informacion lo encera intercambio regular di publicacion y entrega di

informacion general y tambe informacion specifico riba peticion di un di e partnernan. Lo duna informacion general y specifico na sector priva di ambos pais tocante comercio y posibilidad di exportacion. Tambe ta contempla duna informacion cu por sirbi pa informa sector publico y publico en general den ambos pais. Promocion di comercio, turismo, y exportacion por ser haci a traves di seminario y otro forma di reuni empresa di ambos pais pa trese nan den contacto cu otro.

Tambe e Camaranan lo ofrece otro entrenamiento pa mehora nivel tecnico y operativo di ambos organismo, como tambe fomenta inovacion den empresa pa loke ta nan maneho. Tambe lo stimula y fomenta crecimiento di ambos sector turistico y lo yuda mehora e facilidadnan di transporte entre ambos pais.

Pa logra tur esaki, ta conveni pa yega tur aña na establece un programa conhunto di actividad. E acuerdo tin un duracion di cinco aña y por ser prolonga despues di esaki.

Camara di Comercio di Aruba ta hopi satisfecho cu e bishita di e delegacion di Suriname y specialmente cu e acuerdo di colaboracion aki y ta invita tur empresario cu ta desea di conoce mihor e posibilidadnan di comercio cu Suriname, pa tuma contacto cu departamento di Business Info & Support, tel 582-1566, ext 41 of 35.

Universidad di Aruba ta presenta:

Mainta di informacion pa estudiante diasabra awor

ORANJESTAD - Diasabra awor dia 4 di april Universidad di Aruba ta invita tur estudiante di Colegio Arubano, EPI y esnan interesa pa inicia un estudio di enseñansa superior na Aruba pa asisti na un mainta di informacion.

Universidad di Aruba tin cuater facultad y ta brinda graduadonan di scol secundario y otro interesadonan cu ta califica pa aplica pa admision, e oportunidad pa sigui un estudio pa obtene un titulo riba nivel di ‘Bachelor’ of ‘Master’.

Universidad di Aruba tin relacionnan estrecho cu universidad y hogeschoolnan Hulandes y universidadnan acredita den region. Facultad di Derecho tin por ehempel relacionnan cu Rijksuniversiteit Groningen y Universiteit van Maastricht. FEF tin relacionnan cu Hogeschool Windesheim y Hogeschool Zwolle. Tambe Universidad di Aruba tin un relacion estrecho cu University of Central Florida pa cu su Facultad di Hospitality and Tourism Management Studies.

Pa su Facultad di mas nobo, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, cu ta habri su portanan augustus venidero, Universidad di Aruba tin relacionnan di cooperacion cu Universidad di Puerto Rico, Universidad Interamericano

di Puerto Rico y Universiteit Utrecht.

Universidad ta ofrece oportunidadnan interesante pa tur esnan cu kier haci nan estudio superior na nan mes pais. Pesey mes ta importante pa atende e mainta di informacion pa asina por tuma e decision tocante bo futuro na manera bon informa!

E mainta di informacion ta cuminsa 9:00 di mainta te cu 1’or di merdia. E Facultad di Derecho (Faculteit der Rechtsgeleerdheid-FdR), Facultad Financiero-Economico (Financieel Economische Faculteit-FEF), Facultad di Turismo (Faculty of Hospitality and Tourism Management Studies-FHTMS) y e Facultad di Arte y Ciencia (Faculty of Arts and Sciences-FAS) ta ofrece informacion na esnan interesa den dos sesion di informacion. E prome sesion ta cuminsa 9:30 di mainta y e di dos sesion ta cuminsa 11:00. Cada sesion tin un duracion di un ora. Entre e sesionnan lo tin pausa y tambe oportunidad pa hasi pregunta.

No ta necesario pa registra pa e actividad aki. Estudiante y mayornan ta keda cordialmente invita pa asisti na e mainta di informacion aki diasabra awor dia 4 di april na Universidad di Aruba na J.E. Irausquinplein # 4, dilanti di Postkantoor na Playa.

Lider di PPA sr. Benny Nisbet

Cambio real ta un lema di campaña cu partido PPA a bin ta uza for di aña 2001

No ta paso Barack Obama a uza cambio, PPA a cuminsa papia di cambio

ORANJESTAD – Debi na algun declaracionnan y algun actividad politico cu a tuma luga den a cuadra di eleccion cu ta dilanti porta. Primeramente e apertura di oficina of cede di Democracia Real na noord, cu PPA kier felicita cu e apertura aki. Na e otro banda, e declaracion di e lider sr. Andine Bikker, si no a cai den bon tera den seno di PPA. Su declaracion tabata cu nan ta uza e slogan di cambio awor, paso democracia real ta e unico partido cu pro ofrece e pueblo Arubiano un cambio real den politica Arubano, e unico partido.

Awor argumento di dje ta, cu pasobra tur otro parti a forma parti di gobierno caba of a forma parti di parlamento. PPA kier bisa cu sr. Andine Bikker lider di Democracia Real, aparentemente tambe tabata drumi pa hopi tempo. Pakico ta bisa asina? Pasobra si bo analisa politica Mericano, paso laga nos ta honesto, tur partido kier usa e palabra cambio, paso Barack Obama Presidente Mericano a use esaki exitosamente den su eleccion, awor si bo uza e argumento di sr. Bikker cu pasobra un partido tabata formal parti di gobierno of

parlamento bo no por ofrece e pueblo un cambio, anto esei a nifica cu sr. Barack Obama nunca por a logra e hazaña di dje na Merca pasobra e ta forma parti di partido democrata cu tin casi 200 aña den parlamento y gobierno Mericano.

Bo mester tene bon cuenta cu ora duna argumento asina, mester toets e argumento an e desaroyo di cual bo kier saca e juice politico. Mas ainda na Merca a splica cu no ta bai pa e partido y tampoco e persona, e ta bai pa e contenido, e la papia “a change that you can believe in”, cambio cu bo pro kere aden. Awor kico ta e cambio. Di parti partido PPA, nan ta usando e concepto di un cambio real cu sr. Bikker aparentemente kier fia sin permiso di PPA, nan ta usando esaki di aña 2001, cu otro palabra, PPA no ta usando e pasobra tabata tin un Barack Obama. Barack Obama a bini hopi tempo despues y PPA tabata hopi tempo prome cu e concepto di cambio real.

E cambio real di PPA ta nifica, un politica nobo, un politica positivo, un politica basa riba cooperacion pa cu otro, respet pa cu otro y tambe un plataforma nacional, esta participacion

civico di pueblo den e decisionnan importante, pues PPA kier pone hopi cla cu nan no ta contento cu Democracia Real, kier usa “Cambio Awor” y base riba cambio real, paso ta awor nan ta den politica y PPA ta usando esaki pa 8 aña caba.

Fuera di esei sr. Bikker kier pa pueblo lubida cu e tabata forma parti di partido MPE cu tabata den gobierno y oposicion. Sr. Bikker kier pa pueblo lubida cu e la lanta e partido basa riba un diferencia den MEP, aparentemente pa cos, ki sorto cos ta laga mei mei un rato, pero asina ta, anto e diferencia di opinion a pone cu e la bandona partido MEP



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y despues di tempo riba conseho di partido AVP e la dicidi di lanta Democracia Real, segun PPA

Di parti di PPA nan ta usando cambio real casi

tur dia. Nan programa na radio yama “na caminda pa un cambio real den politica Arubano”, asina lider di PPA, sr. Benny Nisbet a laga sa.

Habitantenan di Wayaca y Seroe Biento tame kier grita: Biba Marisol!!



ORANJESTAD - Habitantenan di Wayaca y Seroe Biento tambe kier bisa Minister Marisol danki pa basha asfalt den nan bario. Pero te awe nan no ta mira ni e intento pa esaki wordo realisa. Awor mas cu nunca nan ta pidi pa un tiki asfalt den e caya prinsipal entre Wayaca y Seroe Biento ya cu e carretera di Sabana Blanco pa Airport ta sera mas hopi auto y trucknan ta usa e caminda di Wayaca causando masha hopi molester di stof pa e bisiñanan.

Apesar cu dos aña pasa mas di 200 persona firma un peticion pa asfalta e caminda aki te awe no por mira esaki.

Ta comprendibel cu tin hopi caretera ta den necesidad pa asfalt pero ta notabel tambe cu tin caminda cu apenas 2 auto y 10 cabrito ta pasa si ta haya asfalt y cierto caretera hopi frecuente no ta haya asfalt. Habitantenan di Wayaca Primavera y Seroe biento ta spera cu Minister Marisol lo demostra enberdad cu e “si por mas” pa cu nan bario.

Ladronnan ta drenta cu habitantenan den sala

NOORD—Diasabra 00.40, polis di Noord ta bay na un cas na Bubali pa un ladronisia. Na e cas polis ta papia cu un pareha Hulandes, kende ta bisa cu nan tabata sinta den sala ta mira television, ora cu nan a mira un persona cu un lus chikito den camber. Nan a mira un homber largo flaco, color bruin cu ta cu un flashlight ta busca den e camber. Ora cu a pareha a bay busca den camber, nan ta mira cu e ladron a bay cu tres rol di film, un camcorder, dos camara digital y tambe 1350 Euro. Recherche ta bezig cu e investigacion.

Segun partido MEP

Monopolio den haf ta imposibel rond mundo

Na Europa concesion eterno di haf ta contra e reglanan Europeo

ORANJESTAD – Den su comunicado di prensa partido MEP ta declara cu den tur pais democratico e mayoria di su pueblo ta determina su gobierno y su futuro, mediante eleccionnan liber. Vox Populi Vox Dei ta un lema cu awe den feliz memoria Betico Croes a uza den su lucha pa awe nos por ta un pais autonomo den Reino Hulandes.

Cu den tur pais tin comerciantenan cu hopi placa cu ta uza esaki pa cumpra poder y chantagia hende y gremionan y hasta ta trata na hacie cu gobierno ta obvio. Na Aruba, ki ora MEP gobierna cu un mandato claro di pueblo, e mesun grupo sostenedor di AVP ta agrupa nan mes pa orquesta scenarionan pa distablisa e pais, organisando huelga mediante nan prensa comprometi. Den situacionnan asina instigacion y lantamento di pueblo ta na orden di dia. Esun mas visto tabata tempo di e huelga pa Indexering, cu e meta principal tabata pa distabilisa e pais aki y trata na baha e gobierno legitimo aki escogi pa pueblo. Tur hende sa caba di e desenlace cu a sigui.

Awor cu gobierno tin un vision pa muda e haf industrial pa Barcadera, trece un hotel di 5 strea Grand Melia, construi na Oranjestad e jachthaven, moderniza e haf crucero, kita y move e grua pa Barcadera, kita e containernan, completa e desaroyo di centro di ciudad y desaroya un haf logistico na Barcadera - un inversion total cu por yega casi 400 miyon florin - atrobe nos mester constata con e mesun gruponan aki ta busca tur manera di tranca cos.

Cu APA N.V. den pasado pa 25 aña a entrega tanto e haf di Playa como Barcadera na un solo grupo ASTEC, cu tin un monopolio, no por significa cu

nan ta doño di e hafnan y por stroba un desaroyo pa henter un pueblo. Nada por ta pa semper, peor ora ta trata di patrimonio di pueblo!

Hecho ta cu Aruba ta e unico pais na mundo cu un grupo – gratis, sin paga nada – ta controla dos haf, mas aun pa service charge ainda ta paga nan Af. 150.000,00 pa aña. Ultimo 5 aña ASTEC a gana casi 25 miyon florin cu propiedad di pueblo, pagador di belasting y APA N.V. apenas a gana 7 miyon florin. No lubida cu APA N.V. ta doño di casi tur propiedad ariba waf, mester paga pa henter e infraestructura, mester paga su empleadonan etc. E relacion comercial ta uno disproportional y cu bo mester puntra bo mes si ASTEC lo ta dispuesto pa e tin un contrato asina, unda ariba su custia otro ta bira miyonario, anto nan ta sangra!. Esaki nos ta yama, negoshi cangreu y un contrato inmoral!

Tur hende sa cu e grupo ASTEC su doñonan ta hendenan imposibel pa logra yega na acuerdo humano na beneficio di nos pueblo. Negocia ta algo dificil, pasobra tin hende ainda ta biba den siglo pasa cu lo mester paga nan 10 vez e ganashi, locual cu hopi aña caba a ser bandona pa hueznan rond mundo.

Monopolio den dos haf ta imposibel rond mundo y na Europa concesion eterno di haf ta contra e reglanan Europeo y ta imposibel. APA N.V. y gobierno mester manda un carta pa denuncia Hulanda serca sra. Nelie Smit Kroes cu ta e comisario Europeo pa abusanan comercial, manera e concesion di ASTEC, unda un grupo tin monopolio y concesion pa bida den nos haf, locual no por nunca. Mirando e ultimo sentencia di huez, unda e ta conclui cu e interes comercial di

ASTEC bal mas cu di henter un pueblo di 110.000 habitante. E comisario Europeo sigur lo haci trabao di esaki, esta cu na aña 2009 den Reino Hulandes, unda Hulanda ta e partner mas grandi cu ta miembro di Union Europeo, ainda tin e abusanan comercial ta existi.

E ultimo sentencia di huez ta uno straño, pasobra ASTEC mes a propone dia 10 di November 2005 pa bin cu un destaho publico, anto awor cu den e concesion ta bisa cu cualkier disputa mester bay arbitrahe, un huez na un forma contra ley, ilegal a atende un caso cu e no mag di trata segun Wetboek van Rechtsvordering, pasobra partidonan a conveni arbitrahe. Huez ta onbevoegd pa trata e caso di ASTEC contra APA N.V. Cu awe ASTEC/ATIA/AHATA/Camara di Comercio/FTA ta contento, pasobra despues di a oponer un acuerdo pa tene e refineria habri, nan a logra caba cu un inversion total di 400 miyon florin.

E kapstok democracia ta carga hopi cos, pero no reta nos pa defende, manera nos a haci den pasado, interes general di nos pueblo, pasobra si no por muda haf awor, no por nunca mas tampoco. Laga consenshi di cada hende traha, cual crimen nan ta cometiendo contra interes general di nos pueblo. E Arubiano ta bon hende, pero no retele!

Ora cu no tin inversion mas y hendenan ta cuminsa perde trabao, bay busca trabao serca ASTEC, FTA, ATIA, Camara di Comercio y AHATA, pasobra nan ta e grupo cu ta boycotea prosperidad di henter nos pueblo. Tempo lo ta e mihor maestro, pasobra locual bo sembra awe, lo bo cosecha mayan.



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Gustave Nouel kier stimula progreso di proyecto pionero Art Promotion International (API)

API kier stimula hubentud, stimula crecimiento artistico y arte en general

ORANJESTAD - Durante weganan di Reina na Den Haag, Hulanda, caminda deporte tabata central, Ministerio Hulandes y di nos Reino a organisa un exposicion di peso den su edificio invitando tres artista selecta pa nan comision di Arte, di e islanan tropical di nos Reino. Gustave Nouel di Aruba, José Maria Capricorne di Korsow y Nelson Carrilho, tambe di Antillas Hulandes. E apertura a ser realisa pa Secretario di Estado A. Bijleveld hunto cu e Ministronan Plenipotenciario F.W. Croes di Aruba y R.J. Comenencia di Antiyas. Durante e exposicion aki e



idea a nace cerca Gustave Nouel y Dr. Ing. Joop Huisman, papiando cu Sra. Bijleveld, pa pone Arte

central na lugá di deporte entre e diferente parti di nos Reino via API (Art Promotion International).

Un programa di arte den e forma aki y di e magnitud aki, nunca a tuma lugá ainda

den nos Reino.

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E conocido pintor Gustave Nouel, consehero general di Art Promotion International (API) cu ta na Aruba atrobe actualmente, kier stimula e progreso di e proyecto pionero aki. Esaki por demonstra e valor di nos Reino y cultura, y crea un comunidad artistico duradero.

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ORANJESTAD – Recientemente RBTT Bank Aruba N.V. a duna pabien na cinco hubilarío, esta Sra. Vilma Melgar-Helder, Srta. Christina Croes, Sr. Filbert Kranwinkel, Sra. Gwendolyn 'Melissa' Gomez cu a recorda cu 12 aña y mey pasa cu nan a cuminsa traha den e sector bancario y Luisito 'Ronny' Donata cu tambe a celebra su 35 aña trahando na banco.

Vilma a cuminsa traha na 1996 na First National Bank of Aruba como Recepcionista. Despues Vilma a ocupa diferente puesto entre otro: Account Opening /Documentation Input Clerk, Teller y CSR Retail Support. For di 2008 Vilma ta trahando como Business Support Assistant Corporate Banking na RBTT Bank Aruba N.V.

Christina a cuminsa traha

na 1996 na Aruba Trust Kantoor como Insurance Clerk. Despues a traha como Insurance Back Office Assistant y for di 2005 Christina ta trahando como Credit Administration Assistant na RBTT Bank Aruba N.V.

Filbert a cuminsa traha como Teller na ABN-AMOR Bank na 1996. Despues Filbert a traha como Insurance Back Office Assistant y desde 2005 Filbert ta trahando como CSR Insurance Sales na RBTT Bank Aruba N.V.

Gwendolyn, mihor conoci como Melissa, tambe a cuminsa traha na 1996 na ABN-AMRO Bank como Teller. Despues Melissa a ocupa e puesto di Medewerker Credit Risk Administration & Control. For di 2005 Mellisa ta trahando como Senior Officer Credit



Administration na RBTT Bank Aruba N.V. Luisito, mihor conoci como Ronny na aña 1974 a cuminsa traha na ABN-AMRO Bank como Loopjongen. Despues Ronny a ocupa diferente puestonan manera Klerk Anfimij,

Medewerker Nostro, Medewerker Transfer y Medewerker GTS Operations. For di 2004 Ronny ta trahando como Transfer Officer Local na RBTT Bank Aruba N.V.

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Minister di Labor ta gradici hubilado elogiando gerencia di Hyatt



e evento di gala organisa conhuntamente cu e.o. Joanne Dirkz, Maurella Ras y Janine Cratz cu a forma e comite di bonbini. Durante e acto oficial a reconoce tur e empleadonan pa nan añanan di fiel servicio tanto na Hyatt como na Aruba su industria turistico mes. Ta hustamente e ultimo aki Minister Lee a enfoca ariba durante di su discurso den cual el a gradici y elogia tur e trahadonan pa nan aporte na e industria di turismo cual ta asina importante pa nos economia. “Ta e hendenan di Aruba a haci e industria di hospitalidad bira un exito na Aruba hopi prome cu a cuminsa mercadea e isla. Ta e pasion, lealtad, compromiso y consistencia cu cada persona na pia di trabou brinda un bishitante ta loke ta percura turista sintie na cas y keda bishita nos isla,” e mandatario



ORANJESTAD

— Recientemente Hyatt beach resort y casino a celebra 800 aña di fiel servicio entre un grupo grandi di asociadonan di e hotel na Palm Beach. Na ocasion di recorda aniversario di 5, 10 25 y 30 aña di servicio, Minister di Labor, Tai Foo Ramon Lee, como invitado especial a reconoce e balor di trahado y alaves a elogia gerencia pa presenta actividadnan pa motiva empleado na pia di trabou. Gerente General Susan Santiago y hefe di recurso humano Michelle a encabesa



a declara referiendo na e tema di e evento. Ademas den su mensahe, Minister di Labor, sr. Lee a bisa “cu ohala tur otro gerente, sea hotel of cualkier otro empresa na nos isla, tuma e ehempel di Hyatt y motiva trahadornan. Pasobra si un hende ta sinti bon pa bin su trabou, e empresa por conta riba un produccion haltu y di calidad.” Tambe e mandatario di Labor a expresa su deseo di mira mas empresa ofrece cursonan di “refresher” of “upgrading” pa asina e nivel di servicio semper keda di mas haltu.





President Barack Obama makes remarks about the American automotive industry, Monday, March 30, 2009, in the Grand Foyer of the White House in Washington.

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Obama intervenes with bitter choice for automakers

STEVEN R. HURST
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Barack Obama on Monday gave failing U.S. automakers General Motors and Chrysler a bitter choice: another attempt at painful restructuring on their own soon or bankruptcy court where a judge would do it for them. After forcing GM chief Rick Wagoner to resign and giving Chrysler

30 days to merge with Italy's Fiat SpA, Obama raised the bankruptcy specter Monday "as a mechanism to help them restructure quickly and emerge stronger." Even as he was outlining a fresh chance for the automakers to cut their own way out of the financial thicket, Obama brought the stigma-inducing concept of a court-directed reorganization out of the shadows.

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Dr. Steve Solomon, deputy associate commissioner for Compliance Policy, Food and Drug Administration (FDA), left, and Dr. Ken Petersen, assistant administrator office of Field Operations Food Safety and Inspection Services, Agriculture Department, testify on Capitol Hill in Washington, Wednesday, March 11, 2009, before the House Small Business subcommittee hearing on food recalls.

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GARANACE BURKE

Associated Press Writer

FRESNO, California (AP) — Food safety officials said Monday they were

U.S. officials probe pistachio plant

investigating a central California plant that processed pistachios tied to nationwide recalls of trail mix and bagged nuts because of possible salmonella contamination. The California Department of Public Health said it was tracking nuts processed at Setton Farms in Tulare County, whose Web site describes it as the second-largest pistachio processor in the United States.

State officials said Setton sent its roasted pistachios to the Georgia Nut Co., which recalled its Kraft Back to Nature Nantucket Blend trail mix on Wednesday. Setton Farms has initiated a separate

recall of three lots of roasted pistachios tied to the positive results in the trail mix, state officials said.

Grocery operator Kroger Co. said the California plant also supplied the line of pistachios it recalled because of possible salmonella contamination. Those nuts were sold in 31 states. No illnesses have been reported.

Setton Farms will recall a total of about 1 million pounds of pistachio products, said Dr. David Acheson, associate commissioner for foods at the Food and Drug Administration. Setton Farms did not immediately respond to calls for comment. □



National Guard Sgt. Robert Ramsett walks through a snow storm as he heads to patrol a levee Monday, March 30, 2009, in Fargo, N.D. Weary residents welcomed the Red River's further retreat Monday but faced an approaching snowstorm expected to kick up wind-whipped waves that could threaten the sandbag levees they built to protect their city from a major flood.

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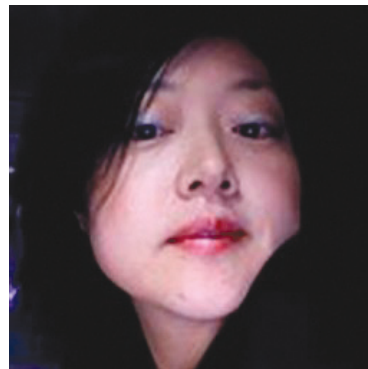
Winter storm latest test for Fargo's levees

By DAVE KOLPACK and NATE JENKINS

Associated Press Writers

FARGO, N.D. — A blizzard battered North Dakota on Monday, threatening to create wind-whipped waves that could lash the patchwork levee system that has shielded much of Fargo from the swollen Red River. Engineers scrambled to shore up the dikes in hopes of averting the latest potential disaster nature has inflicted on this beleaguered city.

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These undated photos show American journalists Laura Ling, right, and Euna Lee. North Korea's state-run news agency says the two reporters detained in March 2009 will be tried for illegal entry and hostile acts. The Korean Central News Agency said in a report early Tuesday, March 31, 2009 that an initial investigation confirms the two entered the country illegally.

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N. Korea says two U.S. journalists will stand trial

JEAN H. LEE

Associated Press Writer

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Two American journalists detained at North Korea's border with China earlier this month will be indicted and tried for illegal entry and hostile acts, Pyongyang's state-run news agency said Tuesday.

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Former Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice, left, who is a senior fellow at the Hoover Institution at Stanford University, speaks at an economic summit at Stanford University in Palo Alto, Calif., Friday, March 13, 2009. Rice described how the world economic downturn could affect the international political landscape.

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MATTHEW LEE

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — On its final working day

U.S. names religious freedom violators

in office, the Bush administration redesignated eight countries as severe violators of religious freedom but waived possible sanctions against Saudi Arabia and Uzbekistan, officials said Monday.

The moves were reported to principal members of Congress in late January but were not made public until Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton's State Department informed the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom about them last week, State officials said.

On Friday, Jan. 16, former Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice signed documents labeling Saudi Arabia, Uzbekistan, Burma, China, Eritrea, Iran, North Korea and Sudan as "countries of particular concern" for abuse of religious worshippers. The Obama administration took office four days later, on Jan. 20.

The U.S. commission, an independent congressionally mandated panel that provides recommendations to the government on religious freedom matters, took issue with the timing of the designations and the waivers to Saudi Arabia and Uzbekistan. The commission also questioned Rice's failure to add more countries to the blacklist.

"The commission is disappointed that Secretary Rice refused to designate any new countries and that

waivers were granted for both Uzbekistan and Saudi Arabia," said Felice Gaer, the group's chairwoman. "Religious freedom conditions in Uzbekistan and Saudi Arabia are appalling, and a specific U.S. government response is required."

The commission had wanted Rice to add Iraq, Pakistan, Turkmenistan and Vietnam to the list. Such a designation can bring about a range of U.S. sanctions unless a waiver is granted.

The designations were the first by the Bush administration under the 1998 International Religious Freedom Act since 2006, when it named the same eight nations "countries of particular concern." Bush officials also waived sanctions against Saudi Arabia and Uzbekistan in 2006.

Normally the designations have been made annually. The commission said Rice's last-minute move was "long overdue."

State Department officials, however, said the legislation is not clear about how often designations should be made, although the law requires the department to compile an annual report about the state of religious freedom around the world.

The officials could not say why the Bush administration had waited for more than two years to issue a new list. □




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U.S.: Weapons programs remain far over budget

STEPHEN MANNING

AP Business Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Many of the Pentagon's biggest weapons programs remain well over budget as problems with the weapons buying process leads to higher price tags than originally planned for fighter jets, missiles, warships and other equipment, according to a report released Monday.

In its annual assessment of the military's 96 biggest defense contracts worth a total of \$1.6 trillion, the Government Accountability Office found that the cost of buying those weapons was 25 percent, or \$296 billion, higher in 2008 than initial budgets. That was slightly better than the 26 percent cost overruns the GAO reported for 2007.

But the government auditing agency concluded that overall performance of the Pentagon's acquisition system remains poor despite the modest annual improvement. Costs

are driven up by factors such as initial budgets that lowball weapons prices and set much too optimistic schedules. Programs go forward even though their technology may be shaky. And the requirements for what the weapons should do often changes, pushing up prices.

"The cumulative cost overruns are still staggering...and the problems are pervasive," wrote Gene L. Dodaro, the GAO's acting comptroller general, in a letter to Congress that accompanied the report. The Pentagon is under pressure to clamp down on cost overruns for its weapons programs, especially at a time when the federal government is pouring money into economic recovery plans.

The Defense Department budget is the largest discretionary portion of the federal budget. In the 2009 fiscal year, weapons made up about 36 percent of the overall

\$515 billion of Pentagon spending.

A bill in Congress would require greater scrutiny on the early stages of defense contracts in an effort to make sure their budgets remain on track. In December, the Pentagon also revised its procurement guidelines to try to make sure that the military buys weapons that have properly tested and proven technology.

The GAO noted that the changed focus may have helped contain cost overruns on newer programs like a replacement for the Humvee and an air-to-surface missile. It also said the slightly better performance in 2008 on cost growth was due in part to the fact that some poorly performing programs from 2007 weren't included in the latest survey.

John Young, the Pentagon's outgoing chief weapons buyer, wrote in a reply to the



Mark Bass, Boeing's communications director for Global Strike Systems, speaks during the unveiling of the F-15 Silent Eagle Tuesday, March 17, 2009, in St. Louis. The F-15SE is a new configuration of the F-15, incorporating stealth technologies and swappable mission-specific fuel tanks and weapons systems designed for international markets.

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GAO that acquisition changes were having an effect. But he challenged the notion that the blame for persistent cost overruns lies solely with the military's procurement staff. Changes made by Congress and Pentagon planners also help push up prices as they

tinker with budgets, he said. "I believe we have made improvements," Young wrote of the acquisition process. Some programs have managed to stay on budget. But of the 96 the GAO studied, 64 showed cost growth from their original estimates. □

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In this photo taken May 25, 2006, a worker adjusts a radiator in Italy's giant automaker Fiat's Mirafiori assembly plant, in Turin, northern Italy. President Barack Obama declared Monday March 30, 2009 that General Motors and Chrysler restructuring plans were too little too late, leaving him no choice but to push out GM's chief executive and set a one-month deadline for Chrysler to merge with Italy's Fiat SpA. Fiat Group CEO Sergio Marchionne said a Fiat-Chrysler alliance will strengthen Chrysler's finances, preserve American jobs and accelerate Chrysler's efforts to make fuel-efficient vehicles.

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OBAMA
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Fears about the industry's future sent stocks plummeting,

with the Dow Jones industrial average losing about 254 points. GM plunged 92 cents, or 25.4 percent, to \$2.70. Chrysler is not publicly traded.

Whether the U.S. industrial icons manage their own reorganization or have it forced on them in federal court, auto workers, GM and Chrysler creditors, their giant supply chains and car dealers all stood to take enormous financial hits. But Obama sought to soften the blow.

"What I am not talking about is a process where a company is broken up, sold off, and no longer exists," Obama said. "And what I am not talking about is having a company stuck in court for years, unable to get out." He also told auto buyers that the government was now standing

behind GM and Chrysler service warranties and would provide tax incentives to new customers.

But as the U.S. economic recession deepened and the auto giants sought more taxpayer money, the president was performing radical surgery that he foreshadowed even when he was running for office. During the campaign Obama was openly critical of the U.S. auto industry, voicing deep dissatisfaction with the way it had done business and the gas-guzzling vehicles it produced.

Declaring Monday morning that he no longer would "excuse poor decisions" as the companies tried to survive on "an unending flow of tax dollars," Obama said, "These companies and this industry must ultimately stand on their own, not as wards of the state."

The president acknowledge the pain arching through recession-ravaged U.S. communities caught in the decline of the industry and blamed "a failure of leadership from Washington to Detroit that led our auto companies to this point."

Obama stepped in after deciding General Motors Corp. and Chrysler LLC had submitted unacceptable restructuring plans in return for billions more dollars they said was needed to stay in business. The struggling companies were already being kept afloat with huge emergency government rescue loans. GM had received \$13.4

billion; Chrysler \$4 billion.

The two companies employ about 140,000 workers in the United States, and tens of thousands of more jobs could be in jeopardy in associated industries and businesses.

Ford Motor Co., the third of the industry's Big Three, has taken no government money and is not affected.

In return for Wagoner's resignation and a shake-up in the auto giant's board, the administration will provide GM 60 days of operating money to work out an acceptable restructuring in the face of an inevitable bankruptcy should it fail.

As a sweetener, Chrysler could get up to \$6 billion if it completes the alliance with Fiat within 30 days. Chrysler and Fiat have been in talks, but Obama forced the issue. If a Chrysler-Fiat union cannot be completed, Washington plans to walk away, leaving Chrysler destined for a complete sell-off. No other money is available.

At GM, president and chief operating officer Fritz Henderson takes over as CEO, the company said in a statement released early Monday.

Board member Kent Kresa, the former chairman and CEO of defense contractor Northrop Grumman Corp., was named interim chairman of the GM board.

New directors will make up the majority of GM's board, the statement said. The directors who will be replaced have not yet been named. □

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WINTER STORM

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The winter storm was expected to bring up to a foot of snow and 30 mph winds that could weaken the levees with big waves. Officials acknowledged that no one knows whether the levees will withstand the punishment.

"The difficulty with an epic flood is nobody has been through it before," city Commissioner Tim Mahoney said. "You can't ask someone, 'Hey, what's going to happen next?'"

The Red River dropped to 38.96 feet Monday, nearly 2 feet below its peak but nearly 21 feet above flood stage. City officials have said they would breathe easier when the river falls to 36 or 37 feet or lower. Authorities were not especially worried about the snowfall because flood levels will have dropped by the time it melts. But forecasters have warned all along that the river could still rise again. They believe the river could drop 2 more feet in the coming days before inching upward again.

Some residents in the Fargo area said that Monday's snowstorm amounted to a kick in the gut after a grueling week of filling sandbags and fortifying their homes against flooding, which was caused by heavier-than-average winter snows, combined with spring rains and an early freeze last fall that locked a lot of moisture into the soil.

"You kind of feel like it's a Bruce Willis film with the next challenge, next challenge, next challenge," Mahoney said.

Engineers are still worried that the levees could give way at any time, and they sent teams out to vulnerable areas Monday to strengthen the system. National Guard members placed sheets of plastic over the levees to shield them against waves.

Corps engineer Tim Bertschi said when water pressure gets strong enough, the sandbags can begin to shift, a weakness that surging water will quickly exploit.

Another potential problem is posed by large chunks of ice in the river's currents. When those chunks hit a levee, they can speed its erosion or punch holes in the plastic sheeting. Once water gets in,

a levee becomes much more susceptible to failure.

"Anything you are going to build, you've got to suspect it's going to fail at one time or another," said Bill Buckler, an associate professor of geography at Youngstown State University in Ohio.

National Guardsmen Brandon Nelson and Cody Renner shuffled along a Fargo dike just south of downtown on Monday, headed toward their assignment for the day: Monitor a small crack in an earthen dike. Should the crack in the dike go unmonitored and widen significantly, it could put the heart of Fargo at risk of flooding.

So they checked the crack every 15 minutes, measuring its depth and prepared to notify the Army Corps of Engineers if it grew. Corps officials stood at the ready in a nearby parking lot.

As the city waited for the storm, schools and many businesses were closed for a second week, meaning thousands of people are not drawing paychecks and are eager to get back to work.

The blizzard "just makes everything miserable. People



Virgil McKay stands on the sandbag dike that protects his home as the Red River continues to rise Monday, March 30, 2009, in Hendrum, Minn.

here are expecting anything now," said Dick Schafer, a high school counselor who was using a shovel to break ice off his driveway as heavy, wet flakes fell.

Fargo's massive sandbagging began winding down after an around-the-clock volunteer effort. Fargo filled 3.5 million sandbags, and has an inventory

of 450,000.

Officials in Fargo and Moorhead say they have limited the damage to a small number of homes within Fargo's city limits, but they have had to rescue about 300 people by boat, and several outlying rural areas have seen significant flooding.

Authorities also warned people to stay away from the

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dangerous river. The Coast Guard caught a man paddling a canoe who apparently jumped a levee to get into the water, and authorities vowed to arrest anyone who took similar risks.

Flooding statewide was blamed for two deaths in what health officials said were apparent heart attacks brought on by exertion. □

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12 die in bloody siege at Pakistan police academy



A Pakistani police officer arrests one of the allegedly gunmen at the compound of a police training school on the outskirts of Lahore, Pakistan, Monday, March 30, 2009. A group of gunmen attacked a police academy and rampaged through it for hours Monday, throwing grenades, seizing hostages and killing at least 11 officers before being overpowered by Pakistani security forces in armored vehicles and helicopters, authorities said.

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BABAR DOGAR

Associated Press Writer

LAHORE, Pakistan (AP)

— A group of gunmen, some in police uniforms, attacked a police academy Monday and held it for hours, seizing hostages, throwing grenades and killing at least six trainee officers before being overpowered by Pakistani commandos.

Four suspected militants were arrested while at least three blew themselves up in the eight-hour battle to retake the compound on the outskirts of Lahore in eastern Pakistan, said Rao Iftikhar, a top government official in Punjab province.

He said three other bodies were still unidentified.

Interior Ministry chief Rehman Malik said one of the arrested man was an Afghan, and that investigators believe the attack may have its roots along Pakistan's border with Afghanistan, where Taliban militants have hideouts. But Malik also pointed fingers at a Punjab-based Sunni extremist group and refused to rule out an Indian role.

Meanwhile, a member of the Pakistani Taliban who uses the name Omar Farooq told The Associated Press by phone that a little-known group called Fedayeen al-Islam was behind the attack and that he was speaking on their behalf.

“As long as the Pakistan troops do not leave tribal areas, these attacks would continue,” he said, referring to military operations in the lawless regions next to Afghanistan.

Officials said more than 90 officers were wounded and that some of the attackers wore police uniforms in Monday's attack. As the siege ended, black-clad Pakistani commandos fired their guns in the air in celebration at the

top of the building, shouting “God is Great!” and “Long live Punjab police!”

The highly coordinated attack underscored the threat that militancy poses to the U.S.-allied, nuclear-armed country. It prompted Malik, Pakistan's top civilian security official, to say that militant groups were “destabilizing the country.”

The ambush on the Manawan Police Training School began as dozens of the officers carried out morning drills. About 700 trainees were inside at the time.

“We were attacked with bombs. Thick smoke surrounded us. We all ran in panic in different directions,” said Mohammad Asif, a wounded officer taken to a hospital. He described the attackers as bearded and young.

Another officer, Ahsan Younus, told The Associated Press that some of the attackers wore police uniforms and took some of the police hostage.

TV footage showed several frightened police officers jumping over the wall of the academy to flee. Some crouched behind the wall of the compound, their rifles pointed toward the parade ground where police said the attack took place. Farther back, masses of security forces and civilians monitored the tense standoff, taking shelter behind security and rescue vehicles.

The forces had surrounded the compound, exchanging fire in televised scenes reminiscent of the militant siege in the Indian city of Mumbai in November and the attack on Sri Lanka's cricketers earlier this month in Lahore.

Armored vehicles entered the compound while helicopters hovered overhead. At times, explosions rocked the scene. At one point, security forces cornered several militants on

the top floor of a building on the compound, where the gunmen held about 35 hostages, Iftikhar said.

“The eight hours were like eight centuries,” said Mohammad Salman, 23, one of the hostages. “It was like I died several times. I had made up my mind that it was all over.”

Police captured one of the suspected gunmen six hours after the initial assault, dragging the scruffy, bearded man to a field outside the academy and kicking him.

On the roof of the building where hostages were kept, an AP photographer saw body parts, blood and spent ammunition strewn about, and several police officers — apparently hostages — came out with their hands above their heads in fear.

Pakistan has endured scores of suicide bombings and other attacks in recent years, and it faces tremendous U.S. pressure to eradicate al-Qaida and Taliban insurgents on its soil. Most of the violence occurs along the country's northwest border with Afghanistan, but attacks have occurred in all the major cities.

Monday's attack occurred close to the Indian border.

In name potential suspects, the Interior Ministry chief suggested the attack could have been staged by Lashkar-e-Jhangvi, a Punjab-based al-Qaida-linked terrorist group that has been implicated in several other attacks in the country.

The attacks pose a major test for the weak, year-old civilian administration of Pakistani President Asif Ali Zardari, which has been gripped with political turmoil in recent weeks. The Obama administration has warned Pakistan that militancy threatens the nation's very existence, while U.S. officials complain the country's spy agencies still keep ties with some of the insurgent groups. Malik said Pakistan's integrity was “in danger at this time” and suggested that a foreign country was interfering in the country's domestic affairs, a possible reference to longtime foe India. □



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The Korean Central News Agency report did not say when a trial might take place, but said preparations to indict the Americans were under way as the investigation continues.

"The illegal entry of U.S. reporters into the DPRK and their suspected hostile acts have been confirmed by evidence and their statements," the report said, referring to the country by its official name, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. The report did not elaborate on what "hostile acts" the journalists allegedly committed.

Euna Lee and Laura Ling, reporters for former Vice President Al Gore's San Francisco-based Current TV media venture, were detained by North Korean border guards March 17.

Their Korean-Chinese guide and a third American, Current TV cameraman Mitch Koss, reportedly escaped arrest but were detained by Chinese border guards. Koss since has left the country, China's Foreign Ministry said last Tuesday.

An activist who helped the team plan their trip to China, the Rev. Chun Ki-won, said the three were on a reporting trip to interview North

Korean defectors living in border areas at the time. He said he last spoke to Lee by phone early March 17 when they were near the Tumen River dividing the two countries.

North Korea confirmed in a brief March 21 dispatch on KCNA that two Americans had been detained and were being investigated for "illegally intruding" from China.

A report in South Korea's JoongAng Ilbo newspaper said the two were undergoing "intense interrogation" at a military guesthouse in Pyongyang's outskirts for illegal entry and alleged espionage.

Conviction on charges of spying and illegally crossing the border could draw more than 20 years in prison for each under North Korea's criminal code.

The detentions come at a time of mounting tensions in the region as North Korea prepares to launch a rocket in coming days over the objections of its neighbors. Pyongyang has declared it will send a satellite into space sometime between April 4 and 8, but the U.S. and other nations suspect the launch will be a test of the country's long-range missile technology.

The U.S., South Korea

and Japan have warned Pyongyang it risks sanctions by carrying out a launch prohibited under a U.N. Security Council resolution that bans the North from ballistic activity.

KCNA said Tuesday that consular officials will be allowed contact with the detained reporters during the investigation. The suspects will be treated "according to the relevant international laws," it said.

Washington, which does not have diplomatic relations with Pyongyang, relies on the Swedish Embassy in the North Korean capital to represent the U.S.

A Swedish diplomat met with the journalists individually over the weekend, State Department spokesman Gordon Duguid said in Washington. Duguid provided no other details about the journalists or the weekend visit Monday, citing privacy concerns.

In Stockholm, Foreign Ministry spokeswoman Cecilia Julin confirmed that the meetings took place but declined to provide any details.

Past detentions of Americans have required international intervention. In 1996, New Mexico Gov. Bill Richardson, then a congressman, went to North Korea to help secure



The U.S. Navy's Aegis destroyer USS John S. McCain (DDG-56), left, leave as another Aegis destroyer USS Chafee (DDG-90) is seen at a naval port in Busan, South Korea, Monday, March 30, 2009. South Korea's President Lee Myung-bak said the country opposes any military response to North Korea's planned launch of a rocket, while Washington's defense chief said the U.S. won't try to shoot it down.

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the release of a U.S. citizen detained for three months on spying charges.

In 1994, he helped arrange the freedom of a U.S. soldier whose helicopter had strayed into North Korea.

North Korean authorities also have custody of a South Korean citizen who works in the two Koreas' joint economic zone in Kaesong, just across the heavily militarized border, Seoul's

Unification Ministry said Monday.

The man is accused of breaking North Korean law by denouncing Pyongyang's political system and inciting North Korean workers to flee the communist country, ministry spokeswoman Lee Jong-joo said. North Korea has assured Seoul of his safety during an investigation, she said. □

Durante e Show di Bruid & Evento Social cu a tuma luga recientemente

The Jungle a introduci un “Registro di Bruid” oficial

ORANJESTAD -- Djis un bishita pa The Jungle, situa dilanti e freezone di waf, den e area comercial di Eagle, lo transforma cualkier espacio di interior pa un ‘cas.’

The Jungle su coleccion diverso y unico di mueble y accesorio ta yega Aruba for di rond mundo, y e persona encarga pa haci compras pa e tienda, Daveed Nataf, sa cu ningun dos hende ta mescos, y pa e motibo aki e tienda semper ta ofrece un variedad di diseño cu ta pas pa cualkier cartera, gusto y estilo di bida.

Recientemente na Westin Aruba Resort, durante e Show di Bruid & Evento Social, The Jungle a introduci su “Registro di Bruid” nobo.

Y si bo tey scucha e bellnan di bruid of bo dia di bruid ta yegando, ta un bon idea pa pasa

na The Jungle pa un solucion creativo pa cualkier confusion pa loke ta regalo di bruid.

Hende muhernan cu plannan pa casa ta wordo invita pa bishita The Jungle y scoge e mueble of e accesorionan di nan gusto. “Sinti bo liber pa puntra nos pa nos ayudo creativo,” ta e palabranan di e decoradora di interior, Estelle, y gerente di tienda Marilyn.

Hunto, bo por crea un “Registro di Bruid” di e piesanan cu bo ta desea, nombra segun bo preferencia y nan prijs.

Ora e “Registro di Bruid” ta ser menciona riba e invitacionnan di bruid, e sugerencia pa bishita The Jungle ta ser haci, y invitadonan por scoge un bunita regalo di bruid pa e pareha feliz, segun nan mesun presupuesto ta permiti.

“Si bo ta interesa den nos Registro di Bruid nobo,”



Marilyn ta splica, “por fabor yama nos; mientras cu otro caminda por parece un selva, nos ta basta organiza y razonable akinan; nos lo ta contento di explora tur detaye cu bo.”

Riba e potretnan por mira e gran desvelo ora cu The Jungle a revela su Registro di Bruid recientemente, durante e Show di Bruid & Evento Social di Westin Aruba Resort, unda The Jungle tabatin su coleccion bunita pa tur hende aprecia.



Scol di idioma cu curso nobo “Papiamento Creativo”



ORANJESTAD - Diasabra mainta Scol di Idioma a start cu e curso tan anhela “Papiamento

Creativo” den su cas nobo na Pos Chikito. Autor di 15 buki di mucha y alabes docente di

idioma, sra Desiree Correa a introduci e grupo entusiasmo di estudiante na e mundo

di haiku, elfjes, sprookjes, poesia, prosa y arte di palabra en general. E studiantenan a

keda encanta cu e curiculo y nivel di e curso. Pa e siman cu ta bin ya caba nan tin cu prepara un poesia existente pa presenta esaki bou guia di e ‘all-round’ artista Sr. Freddy Montoya, kende lo facilita e prome Master Class di e curso, interpretando poesia cu baile, musica y expresion corporal.

Durante e curso lo tin diferente experto di idioma y invitado di afo kendenan lo tene charla riba nan tereno di experticio. Riba e potretnan por aprecia e prome klas di Papiamento Creativo, un curso cu ta trata nos idioma Papiamento den tur su facetanan riba nivel di HBO.

Director y fundador di Scol di Idioma a expresa su satisfaccion cu e interes demostra y e confiansa deposita den su instituto di idioma profesional y unico den su clase aki na Aruba.

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Aruba mester di un hospitaal nobo mas pronto posibel

Na unda nos ta bay, cu aki na Aruba den nos hospitaal no tin mas camber y ni cama pa e pacientnan cu mester drenta hospitaal pa opera y pa malesa? Pa añanan largo e pueblo di Aruba ta roga pa nos tin un hospitaal nobo, pasobra e hospitaal actual no tin servicio optimal y e espacio pa pacientnan ta limita.

E gobierno no ta mira e necesidad pa un hospitaal nobo mirando cu e poblacion ta creciendo mas y mas y nada no ta wordo haci pa alivia e situacion actual, na unda cu hopi enfermonan ta drentando hospitaal pa tratamento medico y no tin cambarnan disponibel pa ora di “opname”.

E responsabilidad di mas grandi y primordial di e gobierno cu mester a pone na prome lugar, e salud y e servicio medico di un hospitaal nobo cu e pueblo mester.

Ta con ta posibel cu e hospitaal no por tuma mas pacientnan, pasobra no tin lugar pa nan keda y nan mester ser manda cas? No ta di awor e pueblo ta roga pa un hospitaal nobo y mientras cu miyones di placa ta ser gasta na otro asuntonan. E pueblo no mester di un Centro Medico, pasobra den asuntonan serio e pacient mester ser manda hospitaal toch. Centro Medico ta pa atende asuntonan cu no ta di gravedad ey.

Nos ta mira cu aki na Aruba mas y mas hotel ta wordo traha y proyectonan miyonario ta wordo inverti, pero nos hospitaal ta keda chikito y e gobierno no ta mira e necesidad di un hospitaal nobo pa e pueblo cu ta bira grandi y ta roga.

E gobierno mester mira, cu ta e pueblo ta paga belasting y e gobierno mester a pone un presupuesto pa por traha un hospitaal nobo y traha e hospitaal pariba di brug, pasobra pabao di brug tin un

hospitaal caba y e capacidad ta limita.

Mira na e otro paisnan, na unda ta abo tin cu escoge ta cual hospitaal bo kier bay y e servicio ta anytime, 24 ora pa dia.

E salud y e bida humano ta di mas importante y primordial y e gobierno mester a mira cu e pueblo di Aruba ta crece y ta hopi hende ta biba na Aruba y tambe e turistanan cu a crece door di e tanto hotelnan cu tin.

Un hospitaal nobo ta primordial awor aki pa Aruba y no sigui malgasta placa na proyectonan, cu no ta duna salud y cu no ta duna bida.

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Golf back with a roar after Tiger's winning putt



Tiger Woods celebrates after sinking the putt to win the Arnold Palmer Invitational golf tournament at Bay Hill in Orlando, Fla., Sunday, March 29, 2009. Woods closed with a 3-under 67 for a one-shot victory over Sean O'Hair.

Associated Press

DOUG FERGUSON

AP Golf Writer

ORLANDO, Florida (AP) — Tiger Woods was down to his last shot at Bay Hill, tied for the lead as he measured a 15-foot birdie putt. That's when he heard a lone voice among thousands of people packed into the grandstand behind the 18th green.

"Some guy yelled out, 'Playoff,'" Woods said with a smile.

What was the guy thinking?

Maybe he missed the Arnold Palmer Invitational the two times Woods made a 25-foot birdie putt on the last hole to win. Perhaps it was his first time to see the world's No. 1 player, and he wasn't aware that Woods has been making big putts like this since he was a teenager.

It could be that Woods had been out of golf so long, the man simply wanted to see more of him.

Woods knew the putt was going in when it was a few feet from the hole. He crouched and began to backpedal, then planted on his left knee — more proof the knee is as strong as ever — to wind up and pound his fist like a sledge hammer.

The putt capped a dramatic final hour at Bay Hill that ended in near darkness and reminded golf what it had been missing during Woods' eight-month

absence while recovering from surgery.

"It's just about being there and somehow timing it right, and making putts at the right time, and pulling off shots at the right time," Woods said. "We're all trying to do it."

As usual, the timing could not have been better.

Because of a two-hour rain delay, the final round did not start until just before 3 p.m. local time, and the broadcasters decided to stay on through the conclusion, stretching into prime time.

The last time golf was in prime time on a network? The U.S. Open, when Woods birdied the last hole to force a playoff.

The overnight rating for Bay Hill was the highest for any golf tournament since the U.S. Open. It even topped the two majors last summer that Woods didn't play. The rating peaked for the final 30 minutes, when Woods took the outright lead for the first time in 286 days, gave it right back with a bogey, then made his final birdie for the one-shot victory.

There have been some significant moments in golf since Woods had surgery after the U.S. Open.

Padraig Harrington won consecutive majors at Royal Birkdale and Oakland Hills. Anthony Kim emerged as a rising star.

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Jimmie Johnson drinks from the trophy as he celebrates winning the NASCAR Goody's 500 auto race at Martinsville Speedway in Martinsville, Va., Sunday, March 29, 2009.

Associated Press

HANK KURZ Jr.

AP Sports Writer

MARTINSVILLE, Virginia (AP) — Jimmie Johnson nudged Denny Hamlin aside in the third and fourth turns with 15 laps to go and gave team owner Rick Hendrick a perfect place to celebrate the 25th anniversary of his first victory in NASCAR's premier series: Victory Lane. Johnson, dubbed "Mr.

Martinsville" by Jeff Gordon, lived up to his moniker, winning for the fifth time in the last six races on the smallest, trickiest track in the series. It was his sixth victory at the 0.526-mile oval, second only to Gordon's seven among active drivers.

Hamlin, the defending race champion, never challenged Johnson after he slid high into the banking after the bump and

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Mr. Martinsville: Johnson wins again at paper clip

pass, and his winless streak extended to 32 races.

Hamlin finished second, followed by Tony Stewart, Gordon and Clint Bowyer.

The victory was the 18th for Hendrick Motorsports at Martinsville, where a victory by Geoff Bodine 25 years ago gave the fledgling company a needed boost, and the 10th in the last 13 races. Johnson has won six of those, and Gordon has won the other four.

Johnson's 41st career victory came after it looked like Hamlin had outfoxed him.

The Virginia native ducked inside Johnson on a restart with 45 laps to go, gaining the position he needed to take the lead, and held it through three restarts before Johnson caught him on the backstretch on the

485th lap. From the outside, Hamlin tried to cut down in front of Johnson, bringing the contact that sent him sideways up the banking.

Johnson gathered control and grabbed the lead, while Hamlin kept his car from hitting the wall and tried to give chase, but Johnson pulled away easily and coasted to victory.

"He tried to put the squeeze on me and I was up on the curb and sliding and we got together," Johnson said in Victory Lane, before getting a bear hug from Hendrick.

Hamlin said he bore Johnson no ill will, but will look forward to exacting his revenge.

"I would have done the same to him and if it comes back around, I will do the same

thing," he said. "It's just the way it is. At Martinsville, you've got to battle for every inch."

For Johnson, the finish was not surprising considering his record at Martinsville, but it was since Hamlin and Gordon had dominated the first 428 laps. Gordon led 147 early, and Hamlin led almost all of the rest until emerging second with 72 laps remaining.

Gordon, who started on the pole for the eighth time at the track when qualifying was rained out and the starting lineup was set on points, ran in the top five for most of the day, but still saw his winless streak extend to a career-high 47 races.

He did remain the points leader by 89 over Bowyer. □

Serena Williams advances at Sony Ericsson Open

STEVEN WINE

AP Sports Writer

KEY BISCAZYNE, Florida (AP) — Top-ranked Serena Williams twice lost five games in a row Monday but finished with a flourish and beat China's Zheng Jie 7-5, 5-7, 6-3 to reach the quarterfinals at the Sony Ericsson Open.

Serena Williams, seeking a record sixth Key Biscayne title and her third in a row, smacked an ace with her final swing, then raised a fist and began to pogo.

One, two, three, four times she hopped, showing uncommon exuberance over reaching the quarterfinals in a tournament she dominates. But survival is something to celebrate, and Williams barely made it out of the fourth round.

"I was just happy to get through it," Williams said, "because at one point I hit a ball into the bottom of the net and I thought, 'Wow, I haven't done this since I was a junior.' ... I wasn't playing great."

Also reaching the final eight was No. 5-seeded Venus Williams, who staged her own narrow escape to beat Agnieszka Radwanska 4-

6, 6-1, 6-4. The Williams sisters could renew their sibling rivalry in the semifinals Thursday.

"I haven't seen any of Venus' matches here, so I should try to catch up on a few of those," Serena said. "I know she had a tough match today, and I followed suit."

Serena's reign was in danger when she fell behind love-2, 15-40 serving in the third set, but she rallied to take the lead, then swept the final eight points.

She won despite being broken six times and committing 43 unforced errors.

Venus' earlier match followed a similar script. She shanked overheads. She double-faulted three times in the final game. She grimaced and frowned and dropped her racket as if she wanted nothing more to do with it.

But the elder Williams picked up her racket — and her game when it mattered most.

"Fortunately I've had experiences like that before," Venus said. "I know how to get through it."

The Williams sisters are the lone remaining players ranked in the top seven. Among those eliminated Monday were Olympic champion Elena Dementieva of Russia and two-time Grand Slam winner Amelie Mauresmo of France, who lost to unseeded Australian Samantha Stosur 6-4, 6-4.

On the men's side, where there have been no big surprises, top-ranked Rafael Nadal reached the fourth round by beating Portuguese qualifier Frederico Gil 7-5, 6-3. No. 4-seeded Andy Murray defeated Nicolas Massu of Chile 6-4, 6-4.

Venus Williams was playing for the third day in a row, and she looked weary in the warm, sunny weather.

"I was hitting really well in the practice," she said. "I came out and things weren't going the way I imagined they would. But that's tennis."

After dropping the first set, she began to move better and won 11 of the next 13 games.

The No. 10-seeded Radwanska nearly overcame a 5-1 deficit in



Venus Williams of the United States plays against Agnieszka Radwanska of Poland at the Sony Ericsson Open tennis tournament in Key Biscayne, Fla. Monday, March 30, 2009.

Associated Press

the third set. In the final game Williams fell behind love-40, but erased three break points that would have made the score 5-all. "Oh, that's always fun," Williams said. "Every now and then, everybody has those kinds of matches. ... I just had a lot of errors. Just errors, errors."

Williams finished with 40 unforced errors but also had 43 winners. She hit 11 aces, the last on the final point.

While Venus Williams is a three-time Key Biscayne champion, she hasn't won the title since 2001 and hasn't been to a semifinal since 2005.

"I feel good. I feel confident," she said. "I've been playing very well in the last few months."

Her quarterfinal opponent will be No. 26-seeded Iveta Benesova of Czech

Republic, who swept No. 19 Anabel Medina Garrigues of Spain 6-4, 6-1.

The No. 4-seeded Dementieva lost to 18-year-old Caroline Wozniacki 7-5, 6-4. Wozniacki, the first Danish woman to crack the top 20, has reached a career-high 12th in the rankings while benefiting from recent workouts in Las Vegas with Andre Agassi's former trainer, Gil Reyes.

"It feels amazing to me that I'm the No. 12 in the world," she said. "As a little girl growing up I was always watching everyone on TV, the top 20 players, and I wanted to be that girl as well." □

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WINNING PUTT

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The Americans won the Ryder Cup. Phil Mickelson rediscovered his game just in time to greet Woods' return. Even so, nothing makes golf as compelling as Woods winning, especially with some back-nine theatrics on display at Bay Hill.

Sean O'Hair could only watch. He lost a five-shot lead at the start of the day and wound up in the company of others whom Woods has beaten with clutch putts.

Ernie Els felt like swimming home to South Africa after Woods dropped in a 40-foot birdie putt to win a playoff at Kapalua. Who can forget Chris DiMarco, crouched on the side of the 18th green at Augusta National, looked up at Woods and down at his feet, almost afraid to watch as Woods made a 15-foot birdie to win a playoff.

Rocco Mediate was in the scoring trailer when Woods bounced in a birdie putt at Torrey Pines to force a playoff at the U.S. Open. Same for Bart Bryant last year at Bay Hill when Woods made a 25-foot putt on the last hole for a one-shot victory.

O'Hair, who had missed a 40-foot attempt moments earlier, was torn between that sinking feeling of Woods about to deliver another highlight, and preparing himself for a playoff in the rare case that Woods missed.

"I'm trying to compete against Tiger," O'Hair said. "It's not like it's 'The Tiger Show' and I'm just out there to watch him. And I think that's the one thing the media thinks about the guys out here, and it's not about that."

"We're trying to win golf tournaments," he said. "And he just happens to be that good."

Woods doesn't make them all. He couldn't make anything

in the final round of the Masters the last two years when he finished second to Zach Johnson, then Trevor Immelman. He had the second-longest PGA Tour winning streak (seven events) until he missed a 4-foot par against Nick O'Hern in match play, and lost on the next hole.

The most memorable miss was that 15-foot par putt in 2005 at the Byron Nelson Championship, which ended his record PGA Tour cut streak that had stretched over seven years and 142 tournaments. □



Tiger Woods, left, lifts the trophy for winning the Arnold Palmer Invitational golf tournament as Arnold Palmer looks on in Orlando, Fla., Sunday, March 29, 2009.

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EEUU formaliza pedido extradición colombiano acusado de estafa

BOGOTA (Reuters) - Estados Unidos solicitó el lunes formalmente a la Corte Suprema de Justicia de Colombia la extradición de un controvertido hombre de negocios y cinco de sus asesores, acusados de una millonaria estafa a miles de personas y de lavado de dólares del narcotráfico.

La acusación de una corte del distrito sur de Nueva York en contra de David Murcia Guzmán, máximo dirigente de la firma DMG, y sus asesores William Suárez, Daniel Angel, Margarita Pabón, Luis Fernando Cediel y Germán Enrique Serrano, fue recibida por la sala penal del tribunal, dijeron fuentes judiciales.

Para las autoridades de Estados Unidos, Murcia y sus socios movieron varios millones de dólares del narcotráfico en más de 18 cuentas bancarias en ese país.

La Corte Suprema decidirá si las solicitudes tienen sustento en la legislación de Colombia y en caso de autorizar las



Foto de archivo de la detención de David Murcia Guzmán, máximo dirigente de la firma DMG (al centro en la imagen), a manos de la policía colombiana en Bogotá, 20 nov 2008. Estados Unidos solicitó el lunes formalmente a la Corte Suprema de Justicia de Colombia la extradición de un controvertido hombre de negocios y cinco de sus asesores, acusados de una millonaria estafa a miles de personas y de lavado de dólares del narcotráfico. REUTERS/Jose Miguel Gomez (COLOMBIA)

extradiciones la entrega de los acusados quedará en manos del presidente Alvaro Uribe. Murcia se encuentra confinado

en una cárcel de Bogotá después de que en noviembre fue capturado en Panamá y deportado a Colombia. Su

esposa, Joanne Ivette León, de 25 años, fue liberada

a mediados de marzo en Uruguay, en donde permanecía detenida, después de que la Fiscalía de Colombia desistió en completar los trámites de extradición.

El controvertido empresario, cuya comercializadora DMG recaudaba dinero del público ofreciendo ganancias de hasta un 100 por ciento de la inversión, ha negado los cargos de estafa a miles de personas y de lavado de activos producto del narcotráfico a través de sus empresas. Gustavo Salazar Pineda, abogado de Murcia, dijo que su cliente prefiere ser extraditado a Estados Unidos debido a que su proceso en Colombia no cuenta con garantías. “El señor David Murcia ha reiterado que no cree en la justicia colombiana, que considera que no tiene las garantías, lo cual nos está indicando que tenemos más interés en el proceso de Estados Unidos”, dijo el abogado. □

Abogado de Fujimori dice que absolución es único camino

LIMA (AP) - El abogado del ex presidente Alberto Fujimori dijo el lunes que no se ha probado con certeza la responsabilidad del ex mandatario en dos matanzas, por lo que pidió al tribunal que lo juzga que lo absuelva por insuficiencia de pruebas, de la misma manera que el presidente Alan García nunca fue responsabilizado por dos masacres de campesinos en los años 80.

Al concluir el lunes la presentación de sus alegatos, César Nakazaki dijo que una absolución es el “único camino” del tribunal, por cuanto, afirmó, no se ha podido comprobar “en el grado de certeza” que Fujimori ordenó una guerra sucia contra los grupos subversivos, y que autorizó la comisión de las matanzas de Barrios Altos (1991) y La Cantuta (1992) por parte del escuadrón de aniquilamiento Colina. “¿Se ha probado en el grado de certeza la existencia de un aparato de poder en el cual Alberto Fujimori era un superior y los miembros del grupo Colina los subordinados?, preguntó Nakazaki a la corte durante su intervención.

“Nosotros sostenemos que no, que hay más que una duda razonable en la probanza de

este aparato de poder”, indicó. Con Nakazaki concluyó la fase de presentación de alegatos, que comprendió a la fiscalía y a los abogados representantes de las víctimas. El próximo miércoles y viernes le corresponderá a Fujimori ejercer su defensa. Luego la corte fijará una fecha para la lectura de su veredicto.

La fiscalía, que ha pedido 30 años de prisión para Fujimori por delitos de asesinato y secuestro, esgrime que el ex presidente fue la cabeza de un aparato de poder, y que a través de su asesor de inteligencia Vladimiro Montesinos transmitió las órdenes para que el destacamento Colina perpetrara las matanzas de Barrios Altos y La Cantuta en las que fueron asesinadas 25 personas.

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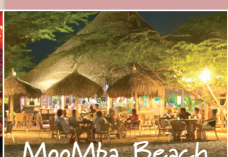
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Hopi ta e pensioenadonan cu tin nan nietonan serca nan ora e majornan ta bay traha, pa motibo cu awendia cu e bida tan caro asina dos salario so por juda cubri e gastonan diario di cas.

E pensioenado tin gana di cumpra cosnan pa por duna e nietonan nan deseo, pa nan por treat

nan nietonan, pa nan por duna nan nietonan algo mas.

Simplemento nos gobernantenan por kita e belasting for di nos pensioenado, y duna e pensioenado cu merese esaki despues di a traha tantisimo añanan pa su pais, un poco tempo di alivio, sin mester paga belasting mas.

No ta e parlamentarionan a pasa un pensioe acumulativo na 1997, pa nan por cobra dos of mas pensioen parew.

Trahando cu un salario grandi ainda ta disfruta di un pensioen banda di e salario cu ta bira un entrada lucrativo.

Hancho pa un par di ciudadano, smal pa un majoria grandi di nos pueblo !

Everardo van der Biezen.

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BON DIA



Johnny Depp tabata filmando den “Viejo San Juan” Puerto Rico

E caya ‘Tetúan’ di Viejo San Juan a ricibi bishita ayera y esaki t’e conocido streya di Hollywood Johnny Depp como parti di e filmacion di e pelicula ‘The Rum Diary’. Aunke cu apenas e por a wordo mira pa curiosonan cu tabata den vecindario y e medionan di comunicacion cu a aglomera den e caya, e actor hunto cu otro coleganan tabata for di tempran n’e sitio den ora di mainta den e edificio yama “The San Juan Star”.

Ey den ta na unda tur e accion a pasa, pasobra segun a wordo informa lo a gra graba escenanen di e momento cu e personahe di Johnny Depp lo a yega, e reportero “Paul Kemp” ta yegando na un redaccion nobo.

E escenanen cu a wordo ambientalisa n’e estilo di decada 50, ta pone aski e filmacion di instantenan cu e periodista tabata topa su compañeronan.

The Rum Diary ta basa den e experiencianan di e escritor



Hunter S. Thompson como periodista na Puerto Rico na final di e decada 50.

Den e filmacion di ayera tabatin actornan Puertorriqueño manera

Jimmy Navarro, Marisé Álvarez, Alejandro Carpio, Amaury Nolasco y otros actornan mas extra, mientras entre e figuranan principal internacional tabatin Aaron

Eckhart.

Durante e filmacion tambe a aparece e cantante di musica urbano René Pérez di Calle 13 y e salsero Panameño Rubén Blades, ambos a bisa cu nan a yega n’e set di filmacion pa saluda Johnny Depp cu a traha cu Blades den e pelicula “Once Upon a Time in Mexico”.

Tanto e salsero y e rapero a cab di filma e KLIP yama “La Perla” cu ta aparece riba e album di Calle 13 titula “Los de atrás vienen conmigo”. Un cos si, ni rene y Ruben a participa den e filmacion di e pelicula, nan a djies pasa cuminda.

E publicista Amanda Brand a bisa cu e produccion lo concentra den “El Viejo San Juan”, aunke ta mirando si di por graba n’e parti zuid di Puerto Rico, ya cu nan a caba di filma caba escenanen na un luga yama El Yunque.

E filmacion di e pelicula cu Johnny Depp ta den dje ta bao direccion di Bruce Robinson y e estreno ta programa pa 2010.



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BON DIA



Jennifer Lopez ta sigura cu su yiunan “ta dilanti di tur cos” y su trabao

E cantante Jennifer Lopez a yega para dilanti di miles di admiradonan den pleno centro di Tokio y e la sigura cu e tin bon cla su dilanti, cu aunke e gusta su trabao su yiunan “ta dilanti di tur cos”. Y cu lo mas importante di tur cos ta pa wak nan “felis”.

Jennifer Lopez, casa cu e salsero Marc Anthony a viaha pa Hapon sin e morocho, Emme y Max cu tin mas di un aña di edad. Nan a yega e pais Asiatico pa un evento promocional cu a Tuma luga n’e capital Hapones, e actriz y cantante tambe a papia di su influencia na ordo di bisti y a segura cu e gusta masha hopi mes e moda Hapones y cu e la dicidi di adapta su manicura n’e estilo nipon.

E cantante, di origen puertorriqueño a yega Tokio pa presta su imagen na un liña di tas cu ta wordo lansa pa un firma masha popular Hapones, asina tambe e la lanta e expectativa di su fanaticonan y henter e bisinanan di e zona comercial yama “Shibuya”.



Huez a pospone te cu diabierna e solicitud di adopcion cu Madonna a haci na Malawi

cu diabierna, asina un funcionario hudicial a duna di conoce.

E streya di pop a pasa casi un ora den e edificio di corte na Lilongwe, e funcionario Thomson Ligowe a señala cu e lo dicidi te cu diabierna e lo pro duna di veredicto y a bisa cu e no lo duna mas deteya di e caso aki.

E expediente hudicial cu a wordo mira

Pa loke un funcionario di asistencia social di Malawi a duna di conoce un notificación cu a wordo bisa dor di un persona involucra den e procedimentonan di adopcion ta bisa cu, e mucha muhe tin 4 aña y su mamam ta soltero pero cu a fayece un rato despues di a haya yiu.

Awo ta mostra cu e tata si ta na vida, pero despues di esaki no tin ningun detaye mas.

E fuentenan a papia bao condicion di anonimato pasobra e caso aki ta wordo considera masha delicado mes. Ainda nos ta corda e momento cu Madonna a adopta aña pasa un mucha homber naci na Malawia, yama David Banda.



Madonna a presenta su mes ayera den sala di corte di e capital di Malawi p’asina tramita su solicitud pa adopta un mucha muhe Africano y e Huez di e caso a pospone esaki p’asina tuma su decision te

ayera ta señala unicamente e nomber di e mucha muhe esta Chifundo James, cu ta nificia “misericordia” den nan lenguahe local. Por te awo no a haya sa nda mas di esaki y cu si mayornan di e mucha a asiti na corte.

Maripily no ta condena Elvis Crespo



E modelo Maripily a duna su opinión ayera riba e caso di Elvis, si e situacion cu e cantante Elvis Crespo ta berdad, e lo mester di asumi su responsabilidad y atende su mes cu profesionalnan di salud.

“Tempo lo bisa si e la haci’e of no, y si e la haci’e, e lo tin cu atene su mes n’e consecuencianan y busca yudansa profesional”, asina aki e sexy Maripily a duna di conoce. Supuestamente, Elvis Crespo a masturba den un vuelo di Houston pa Miami siman pasa, cos cu e lo por haya su mes den un caso federal.

Mientras cu e tabata prepara un bon plato di bonchi pa su casa esta e baseballista boricua Roberto Alomar, Maripily a añadi cu aunke e merengero no a bisa nada den relaciona cu e caso, ta un momento masha lamentabel p’e.

“Mi a bisa’bo cu esaki ta algo masha personal di dje, cu e solamente lo sa si e lo a haci esaki si of no. Ami ta lamenta masha hopi loke ta pasando, pero e no a bisa absolutamente nada”, Maripily a duna di conoce.

“Ami no lo condene mes. Nos como ser human no por condena ningun hende. Loke si nos tin cu corda su parti positivo, e premionan cu e la trece pa Puerto Rico cu su musica. Pa loke ta e parti negativo e lo tin cu asumi su responsabilidad; no ta trabao di ningun hende sinta acus’e, la ley haci su trabao”, asina aki e empresario, modelo Maripily.

Storianan Di Un Mucha Di Lagoen di Playa

Capitulo 4 - Openbare Werken – Prome Lagoenero di Nacimiento

Skirbi pa Clyde Harms



mapa tabata intriga mi, ora cu mi mester a pasa ey banda mi tabata pasa hopi cerca pa mi por mira e mapanan. Hunto cu e pintadonan Hulandes tabatin un di Corsow cu tabata hopi cariñoso y tabata combersa cu mi y splica mi hopi cos. Asina mi a conoce señor Petronia cu despues a bira un gran politico den PPA y estadista Arubiano Antiyano. Otro pintadonan cu mi a conoce e tempo tabata

Entrada Centrale Accountantsdienst caminda e prome oficina di Openbare Werken tabata ubica. Aki e prome “Lagoenero di nacimiento” a funciona te 1939.

Mr. Hille y Mr. Schuit. E ultimo aki a casa cu mucha muhe Arubiano, Dora Croes di Playa.

Beyderwellen (1939-1944) a haya hopi critica despues cu un brug cu Openbare Werken a caba di traha a basha den otro cu un yobida pisa. “Koosje heeft een brug gebouwd” a bira un lema cu pueblo tabata usa cu sarcasmo. Na año 1944 Lijkele de Hoop, un Fries raja, a reemplaza Beiderwellen. Tine de Hoop, e yiu mayo, tabata toca piano masha bunita. Como na su cas no tabatin piano e tabata bin nos cas pa practica y cu hopi frecuencia toca pa deleita nos famia.

Ora cu de Hoop a laga DOW na 1949, Johannes Hille, un tempo pintado di mapa, a dirigi DOW temporalmente te dia cu Adriaan van den Berg a wordo nombra. Un poco tempo despues

DOW a nace na Lagoen! El a ocupa dos edificio te cu el a muda pa su edificio na Paardenbaai weg for di unda el a muda recientemente pa Sabana Blanco. Temp’i nos tempo e tabata Openbare Werken. E “Dienst” a bin hopi año despues. Pa nos, muchanan di Lagoen, Openbare Werken ta parti integral di nos storianan. Pa facilidad, den e relato aki DOW of Openbare Werken lo wordo usa.

Tempo Gezaghebber Wagemaker a dicidi di haci tanto construccion di cas, dam, waf, caya y carretera na Aruba, el a realiza cu e actividadnan aki tabata rekeri un persona cu experiencia. Di Corsow el a haya un ingeniero cu e nomber impresionante di Keimke Klaas van der Heide. Un di su prome trabounan tabata pa construi un edificio cu mester a sirbi como cas p’e mes y pa hefe di loodsdiens cu tambe Wagemaker a laga busca. E espacio entre e dos casnan na prome piso, grandura di e actual sala di conferencia di DOW, a bira oficina di van der Heide y dos empleado mas: un pintado di mapa y un klerk. Patras tabatin un porta cu tabata habri practicamente den garage y shopnan di



welding y carpinteria, etc. di Openbare Werken. Casi increibel cu apesar di tur e actividadnan di DOW cu tabata crece tur año, van der Heide a keda cu e mes oficina te na 1939. E año ey, e edificio na skina di Zoutmanstraat y Lagoenweg a keda cla. E mes un año, Keimke Klaas van der Heide, e tata di DOW, a bandona Aruba y a wordo reemplaza pa Jacobus Beyderwellen. Den e oficina nobo, e pintadonan di mapa tabata traha na nan mesa grandi special pa e ofishi aki, net banda di e bentananan grandi habri banda pariba, na Zoutmanstraat. No tabatin airco ainda! Como trabou di pintamento di

Tras di e bentananan habri na banda drechi tabata traha como pintado di mapa meneernan Hille, Schuit y Petronia. Na skina tabata sinta e director Jacobus Bijderwellen. Otronan cu a dirigi DOW te cu nan a muda pa Paardenbaai tabata Lijkele de Hoop, Johannes Hille y Adriaan van de Berg.



Aunke cu Openbare Werken a aumenta su actividadnan masha hopi desde su inicio na 1930, meneer van der Heide a keda den e oficina te dia cu el a laga su posicion como director.

Continuacion di B/20

Openbare Werken a muda pa Paardenbaaistraat. Segun e historiado Johan Hartog, dia 1 di September 1951 DOW a bira e prome Departamento cu a wordo traspasa pa nos gobierno insular.

Un di e funcionnan di Openbare Werken tabata traha y asfalta caminda. Nan tabata usa presonan pa coba y basha e fundeshi di caminda y nan tabata usa un stoomwals cu Wagemaker a cumpra na 1930. No tabatin e ekiponan sofisticada cu tin awo pa basha asfalt, pero Kemmink, encarga cu e trabou aki, tabata depende riba dos homber campeon pa spuit asfalt cayente. Un di nan tabata un Portugues cu a bin cu e grupo grandi di Madeira. Mi no ta corda su nomber, pero mi sa cu e tin descendiente na nos isla. E otro tabata Angel Acosta di Estado Falcon, Venezuela. Manera tur e Venezolanonan na Aruba e tempo ey, Sr. Acosta tabata un fanatico di baseball y tur Diadomingo e tabata anima e weganan “transmitiendo” hugada pa hugada, usando un megafono cu e mes tabata traha di afiche di carton. Sr. Acosta a casa cu Arubiano, un tanta di Milo Croes (di SAC y Little League), y nan yiu muhe Theresita a casa cu e conocido politico Arubiano Chibi Croes.

Otro responsabilidad di Openbare Werken tabata recogemento di sushi di cas y di negoshinan. Nan sí tabata puntual! Sin falta, tur dialuna mainta cinco minuut pasa di shete e truck di sushi tabata dilanti nos cas. E tempo ey e barinan di sushi tabata den cura, y e trahado tabata drenta coy e bari, hibe afo, basha e sushi den truck y debilbe e bari. Na decada 1940 Openbare Werken a haya un truck pa chupa pos. Meneer Kemmink, tin bes un homber hopi comico, tabata bisa na chansa “Pa solamente 25 florin mi ta chupa k...” E hendenan tabata hari y e expresion a bira masha conoci.

Na final di dia e trucknan y autonan di trabou tabata wordo warda den garage den cura di Openbare Werken. Despues cu tur e trahadonan a bay cas algun di nos tabata

gusta drenta keto keto den e cura y mira cua vehiculo nos por start. Awendia, pa start un auto bo ta djis bira e yabi. E autonan di e tempo ey tabatin un conopi apart cu bo mester primi pa start e motor, pero sin yabi e motor tabata sacudi pero e auto no ta bay ningun caminda. Pa nos e sacudimento tabata un “kick” pa cual nos tabata risca haya problema cu autoridadnan y sota di nos mayornan. Un dia e motor di un truck a sacudi asina tanto cu e truck a rasca e auto cu tabata pega riba dje. E siguiente mainta nos por a tende Meneer Kemmink hopi rabia ta grita y zundra. El a bin cas pa denuncia nos cerca mama, pero nos a nenga tur culpabilidad.

Patras di e prison di Fort Zoutman e cura di Openbare Werken tabata habri y eynan tabatin diferente tipo di trucknan bieu cu no tabata wordo usa mas. Un atardi nos tabata hunga den un truck te cu a bira scur. Diripiente nos a tende un stem di hende homber ta grita manera un alma perdi. Pensando cu ta stem di spirito, nos a spanta asina tanto cu nos a core bula e porta grandi di dos meter halto y sigui core sin wak patras. Un poco dia despues nos a bin haya sa cu tabata un prisionero den su cel cu a grita spanta nos.

Na 1950 DOW a muda pa nan oficinanan grandi na Paardenbaai y esaki a trece na su fin e storia di e prome Lagoenero di nacimiento. E edificio mes a alberga hopi otro funcion di gobierno den e añanan despues, por ehempel, Biblioteca Nacional cu pasamento di pelicula pa mucha den aire liber, Tabuleerdienst caminda mi amigo y ex colega di Lago, Dodo Figaroa d.f.m., tata di e actual director di DOW, Jossy Figaroa, tambe a traha pa algun tempo prome cu el a bira diputado den gobierno di Aruba, Servicio informativo, etc. pero eseynan lo mester keda pa otro storia.

Despues di pasa casi 60 aña den e oficina na Paardenbaaistraat, DOW awo ta ubica den e edificio precioso di Infraestructura na Sabana Blanco.



Sala di pintamento di mapa tempo di Openbare Werken a bira Sala di lesa na 1950 cu Biblioteca Nacional a drenta e edificio. Lesando na robes ta Sra Goslinga, casa di e loods di playa, scondi su tras ta mi mama Catherine Harms y para cu su siga di semper, meneer Kemmink, hefe di operacionnan di DOW. Na man drechi ta sinta nos bisiña Sra Irma Eman, y banda di dje sra. Van den Berg. E persona sinta patras no por a wordo identifica.



Meneer de Hoop, director di DOW 1944-49, tabata un Fries raja y semper a hisa su Friesche Vlag dianan di fiesta. Meneer Noot tabata un Hulandes tradicional cu tabata his su bandera tricolor cu orguyo. Mi tata Mario Harms a keda fiel na e pais unda el a biba hopi aña y el a asumi su nacionalidad.



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Bo por haci masha hopi progreso durante di dia awe, bo mester djis laga bo ambicion tuma over.

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20 April-20 Mei

Tauro

Awe ta un bon dia pa bo atende loke cu bo tin di haci d forma mucho mas cla y mucho mas profundo.

**Geminis**
21 Mei-21 Juni

Gemini

Bo creatividad ta mucho mas fuerte cu cualkier otro hende awe, tuma control y sigui traha.

**Cancer**
22 Juni-22 Juli

Cancer

Bo tin hopi cos cu bo mester ta agradecido pa e. haci bo mes un favor y traha un lista di esaki.

**Leo**
23 Juli-22 Aug.

Leo

Awe purba di rondona bo mes cu hendenan cu ta mas sereno y cu ta pensa mas cla posible.

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23 Aug. - 22 Sept.

Virgo

Awe no ta un bon idea pa bo traha den grupo. Bo ta sinti mucho mas competitivo y esey lo por trece problema.

**Libra**
23 Sept. - 23 Oct.

Libra

Bin cu un bon idea awe lo por ta loke cu ta salba bo awe, pensa bo bon riba loke cu ta pasando.

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24 Oct. - 21 Nov.

Scorpio

Awe bo ta sinti cu bo lo kier ta na servicio di un persona, Esaki ta señal cu bo ta creciendo.

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Bo romance keto lo cuminsa haya masha hopi atencion awe y lo bira popular di un rato pa otro.

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Cancel of postpone cualkier cos awe pa asina bo por duna bo mes un poco tempo liber.

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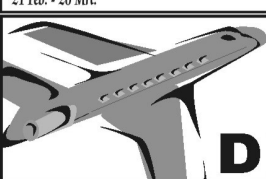
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Ta un poco skeptico di esnan nobo den e ambiente, nan por a muestra demasiado bon pa ta berdad.

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Bo lo yega bo meta awe pero posiblemente el a tuma mas largo cu bo mes a pensa.

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ORANJESTAD - Ademas di 10 pagina photoshoot, Aruba lo ricibi cobertura editorial den varios otro edicion y ta cover di e revista."

Oranjestad,--Recientemente Aruba Tourism Authority a ricibi copia di e revista di moda Flare Magazine di Canada y ta hopi satisfecho cu

e 10 paginan di promocion cu Aruba a ricibi den nan edicion di Maart. Cu ta e prome di 3 edicion cu Aruba lo bay haya e aña aki den e revista di Flare Magazine. Ainda falta e edicion di April y November.

Mas ainda, Aruba ta riba e

portada di e edicion di Maart cu ta otro logro grandi.

Tur esaki ta fruto di esfuertonan cu Aruba Tourism Authority ta hasi door di invita revistanan asina pa bin hasi nan "photo shoot" na Aruba conhuntamente cu e hotel Occidental Resort cu a hospeda e grupo aki durante nan estadia na Aruba.

Flare Magazine in un circulacion di 1 milyon copia y ta obtenibel na Canada y na Merca.

Riba e fotonan nos por aprecia e potretnan cu a wordo saca den e tera cora pariba di e Faro y por aprecia tambe e number di auto di e jeep di Marin Bijl

cu a wordo usa e dia ey pa complimenta e edicion aki.

Proyectonan similar ta existi oranan largo di trabou como tambe esfuertonan pa logra pone Aruba den e mihor luz door di selecciona sitionan exotico, manera e parti di desierto patras di lighthouse.

Di parti di Aruba Tourism Authority, Amayra Boekhoudt y Rayon Koolman a traha cu e grupo di Flare Magazine y un biaha mas kier a gradici tur esnan cu di un manera of otro a contribui tanto cu e "photo shoot" y e editor Alexandra Breen pa hasi esaki posibel y nos ta keda pendiente pa e proximo edicion.

